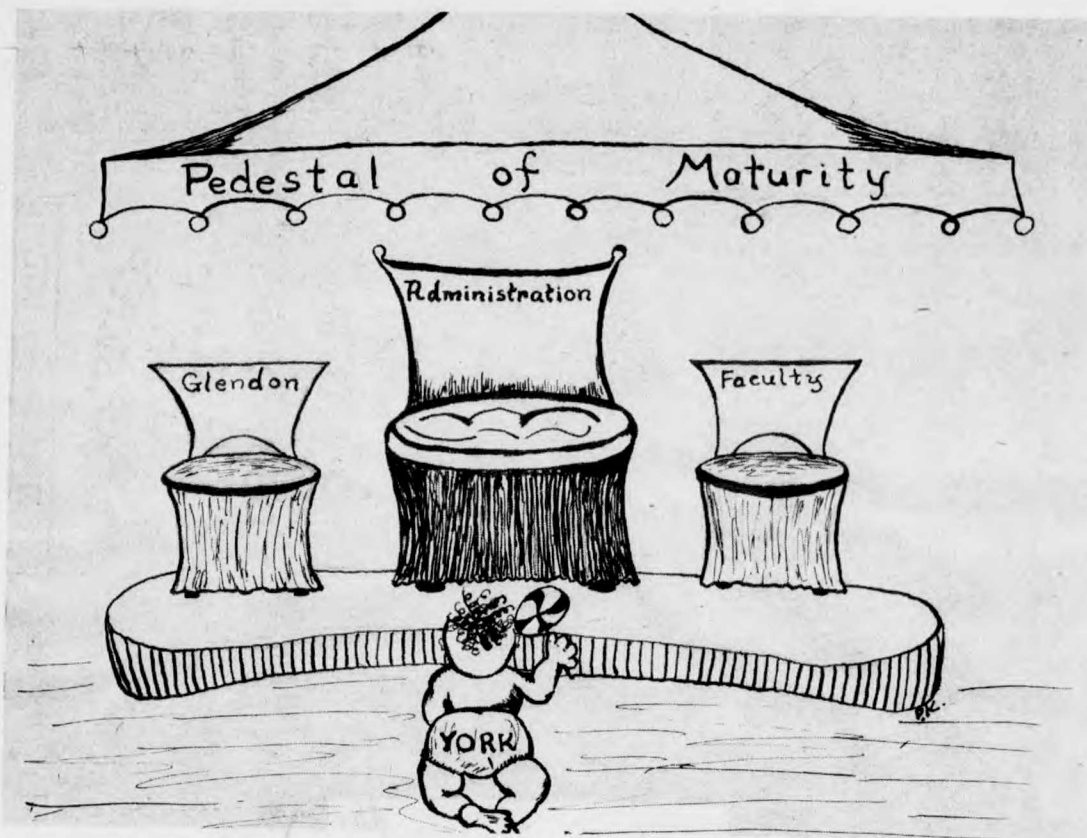


# York campus half-year report

## Progress to date:

1. Student Representative Council . . . it isn't, they can't, we tried, everyone falls, anarchy, (Glendon debates changes in the York Act and considers student civil disobedience if something isn't done about the inadequacies of the college.) Oh yes, the college system was saved. God save the college system.
2. Vanier Council . . . Mr. Sand agreed to contact Mr. Larry Johnson to see if the stereo has been repaired. Council recognized the Vanier College Folk and Blues Club. Action against the University with regards to York Scholarships has been dropped. (Glendon gets five students on faculty council.)
3. Founders Council . . . Mr. Stiff suggested there be regular office hours for each council member. Also a list was made up of those holding keys to the council office. And, oh yes, Founders is making money on their dances. (Glendon sponsors meritous Quebec Year Eight.)
4. Winters Council . . . still organizing. (Glendon passes resolution on the Quality of Primary and Secondary Education.)



York campus students still babies...?

## Hot damn, winter's back

Winter's here (the season, not the college). The University of British Columbia is anti-winter 'cause it causes colds. The University of Western Ontario asks students to take a cold bird home so it won't have to walk through the snowdrifts. Brock University has no comment on winter. York University hopes Physical Plant will remember to plow the sidewalks and roads before noon, on the mornings after blizzards. York University hopes Physical Plant gets the sidewalks from Keele St. finished before the day students resume the trek through the slush on the unplowed roads again. York University hopes Physical Plant manages to heat all the residences equally, and to a comfortable, constant temperature this winter. York University hopes Physical Plant gets the lights in remote parking lots fixed so students can see their way through the snowdrifts at night to their stalled cars with the parking tickets. Excalibur hopes York isn't hoping too much.

## we get letters

### QUESTIONS UNANSWERED

Dear Sirs:  
In your editorial, December 1, 1967, entitled 'Hands Off', you state . . . 'Neither Dr. Ross nor his so-called advisory committee have any right to decide what companies shall offer a future livelihood to the senior students of this university.' Let us be quite clear that neither the members of ACSA nor ACSA itself 'decide' anything. The President makes the decisions, frequently with the advice of ACSA but never as an 'agent' for ACSA. Last week's consideration of the anti-Vietnam War protest involved a number of important issues confronting not only York University, but universities throughout North America: What are

one's rights of protest? What is and how extensive are one's rights to practice civil disobedience? What do you do with the problem of violence? Is the university sufficiently public that it is necessary to settle certain of the critical disputes, the disputes involving open and physical conflict, by calling in the police? I don't think that the fifty-minute meeting of the President's advisory committee did any more than realize at least certain of these questions. It was unrealistic to expect it to come forward with any type of principled and worthy advice. To label the advice that they did give as any form of collective 'decision' as mandate for action is to misconstrue their

function and to misinterpret the understanding that exists amongst committee members in offering advice. The decision and the responsibility for the decision lie solely with the President and until the character and powers of ACSA are significantly changed, let us be quite clear in understanding where that responsibility lies. Finally, let me reaffirm your demand for an open discussion of this issue. I couldn't be in greater agreement with the fact that this problem concerns every student, every faculty member and every administrator at this university and that as it concerns us all, then let us make the discussion open to everyone.

Ken Johnston, FIH

### A LETTER FROM OUR SOUTHERN BROTHERS

Dear Sir:  
We are gratified to see that York is not allowing prejudice to affect its sense of fair judgment. We agree that Hawker Siddeley and Dow Chemical should be allowed to recruit on campus. In response to your northern hospitality and in order to avoid a demonstration by the York Communists, we have not sent up a recruiting officer as have the previously named companies. Instead, there is an application form enclosed for those patriots who are interested in a career with the traditional upholders of Christianity and our American heritage.

Application Form (KKK)  
1. Please print name here

N.B. If your last name is X please forget about this application.

Please indicate color of skin:  
a) pure white

I can't believe it's the end of the year. Thanks to all who made Excalibur impossible. Who helped tonight? Anita didn't scream. Frances told no Italian jokes for a change. Ferd got Rich THREE bloody times. He'll get his. Ross smiled for the first time in five weeks. Mystery girl visited office. Alan Gayda wrote heads. What he want—A medal? Bob got muffins. Claire said Hi. Frank grew more gray hairs. Tear. Visits from Kelsey, the Athanaeum, the Peak. Properly impressed, those bloody meddlers. Susie waited, did nothing. J.J. FIGHTS LOSING BATTLE. Don, good riddance. (NO, that was joke.) Who cares dept.—Anita's birthday. No more Mr. Meester Nice Guy. Cruds to Linda B. Frank honey, Louise, Fountain staff (Mr. & Mrs.) Eleanor and Francine, Dave (Dave who?) June Carlson, (who solicits....ads), ClarkPhyllisClark, birds to Rix and pix., Dave Cooper, Sam the Sham, and the PRUDE. It's been a good year. I'll get mine.

- a) 10-29
- b) 30-49
- c) 50-69

3. To help in choosing our future leaders, please state your IQ:

4. Do you think Lassie is an anti-American counter-revolutionary spy? Yes No

5. Do you think colored television has anything to do with the emancipation of Negroes? Yes No

6. Martin Luther Coon is a prejudiced bigot! Yes No

7. John Wilkes Booth is my hero and saint. Yes No

8. The tanning oil industry is Negro-supported and Communist-backed. Yes No

9. I am under a blood oath that I will never indulge in bagels, pizzas or Aunt Jemima pancakes. Yes No

10. I will enclose a colored photograph of myself. (No underexposures please!)

11. I hate all Catholics, Jews, Wops, Niggers, Polacks, Foreigners, Communists, Fascists, Anarchists, Buddhists, right-wingers and left-wingers (especially Gordie Howe):  
a) yes b) yes c) yes

Leave all applications in 020 Founders.

Sincerely,  
Regional Grand Cyclops,  
B.J. Beauregard.

### BLACKMAIL BY BARRING

Dear Sir:  
York University should not succumb to the blackmail of disruption by barring any company to which students may want access.

The Committee to End the War in Vietnam of York has called on the administration to bar Hawker Siddeley of Canada from recruiting employees on campus. This

committee does not have the right to infringe on the right of access of all the students to any potential employer.

Moreover, since York is a new University trying to build a good reputation, it should not alienate any member of the business community. We should not forget that industry is the major employer of college graduates.

The interest of the majority of the student body as well as the University is best served by insuring that no potential employer is barred from campus.

Leslie Hazai, FI

## Merry Christmas

Nick  
Kandy  
Rick  
Linda  
Gale  
Don  
June  
Francine  
Eleanor  
Bob  
Frances  
Alan  
Phyllis  
Clark  
Ross  
Alan  
Anita  
Richard  
Louise  
Frank  
Bill  
Don  
Dave  
Fred  
Bill  
Paul  
Jane  
Sam  
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Howard  
Frank  
Anne  
Dave  
Armin  
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judy

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