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cle parking accessibility. There may not be a lack of parking facilities during winter cycling conditions, however, there is definitely a lack of functionally adequate racks, regardless of the season. They need to be better designed and placed more strategically. Try asking those that use them, or ask yourself if you really think you know the cycling experience. Ride your bike to each and every building on the campus with a load of books on your back and experience the situation: you are busy, and efficient by necessity; you have difficulty finding a rack and then use it in the manner that it was intended; you really want to ride by the rules so as not to create negative attitudes towards bicycles; yet you have been taught to be resourceful; you emerge from your destination to find nothing but a cut lock.

Or pretend you really are a utility rider Mr. Lord, one of the 22.6 percent of households in a 1988 census who do not own cars in Halifax, one of the 7000 individuals who bought an adult bicycle in the Halifax area in 1991. Get with the program, decision makers must make that attitude change now

(not to forget city cyclists who abuse their versatility and responsibilities as a vehicle). Anticipate and plan for the future in a positive manner Mr. Lord rather than simply reacting to the present. There is a definite need for some useful action on this matter and I am open to discussion on the subject for those who may wish to contact me.

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Muslim students respond once

To the editors:

This must be paranoia we hear once again in the article "the recognizing Israel's right to exit" (Gazette, Feb. 6). First of all, Amir, we are deeply saddened by your condescending views on the Arab race. It is imperative that you should get your facts in order before jumping into any hasty conclusions. We are not all Arabs! Instead, we are from different nationality, colour and linguistic backgrounds united under one religion which is Islam. Therefore, you are confronting more than one billion Muslims and those who are deeply concerned about human rights. Ideologically we are opposed to the

notion of a superior race or a chosen people. We strongly believe that this kind of thinking leads to racism, hatred, and eventually violence.

Dear Amir, you did not present facts, instead you're pre-occupied with justifying your position, be it right or wrong. Are we wrong or is it your belief system that Israel should capture land from the Nile to the Elphorates. Hence, if you are unable to recognise your immediate environment, how can you expect them to recognise Israel?

The more we read your article, the more we get the feeling that you are in the state of denial with lines like "death to the jews", and "...21 Arab countries breathing down their necks all around them...". You have made a crucial mistake calling Arabs enemy. How do you begin friendship by saying "enemies," "fight," "breathing down?" There seem to be contradictions in your plea for peace. The over eighteen thousand recent settlements in the occupied territories are not going to ease any tension. In history you will note that the golden age of the jews were under the rule of Islam, in Spain. We advise you to brush up on your history. We like

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