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## Carnival, concerts, college, etc.

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groups complain no matter what the case shall be. From the other 99.9% of the students and myself included, this was the most successful carnival in years and believe you me, I've been involved with this event since the Liverpool days and pubs at McConnell Hall.

Being that this was probably my last "Winter Frolic" I decided that I would attend all the events, not drink too much and be a benefactor rather than a nuisance. From the Scavenger Hunt (not one cop), Downchild, Blazers hockey game, Irish pub, Education float and Stones Concert, I finally felt what it was like to be involved. From lugging in and out mountains of Downchild equipment to putting together an Education float in a faculty where organization does not exist. I hope that someone noticed that some individuals mellow out after prolonged periods on the "Other Side of The Mountain." Being labelled "deviant" is a concept that not even Durkheim could justify.

D.H. Lawrence once wrote a poem about people who pass judgements upon others. Lawrence mentioned that the

reason for this is that those same humans cannot relish their own existence. Anyone who has seen Robert De Niro in "The Deer Hunter" will leave that movie tearing their hair out and realizing that life isn't that bad after all. Moreover, the syndrome of the future means that more and more of us will have to co-exist in a world of uncertainty, obstructed goals and shattered dreams. Some of us who graduate this year will land secure jobs and others will be involved in a process that will land nothing but "your name will be kept on file."

For those people, college will seem to have been a waste.

Not so, is a common interpretation. College is being involved with others, communicating ideas, meeting people, sports, committees, Luna Pizza, floats, treks up from the Arms, library, socials and the long list of other activities that make up college life. For some, college can also be a place to pass time, watching others grow up, contributing a little but sometimes taking away a lot, course change after course change trying to graduate and maybe leaving behind a world that was like a "suit" that didn't

quite fit. Others could wear the same "suit" and it would fit perfect.

It's like when the floats in the parade were winding up by McConnell Hall and there to the left on Buchanan Hill, were families and children having such a good time on the hill. Then when the parade concluded at Chapman Field, it's time to drink and get hammered out of your head. I

guess it's just part of college life.

For me this will be it not matter what. I'll probably return to Moncton and spend at least the summer in nearby Shediac where I have an interest in a Sport and Condominium Development. In fact, we hope to have it finished by July 1st weekend so that all UNBers can get together (sic) and be free of I.D. hassles

and concentrate on golf, tennis, beach, volleyball and most of all, baseball. For the rest of the term my advice is to leave Gerard Finnan alone, look for Education week, leave the Social Club be, get those assignments in and someday get that "suit" that fits just right.

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## Don't bother to read this. . .

As fads come and go in our society, it is interesting to note that the "hoser" phenomenon has swept through eastern Canada. We at UNB have always been well represented in this respect. In fact, only last Monday our chief presented the "ORIENTATION 81 FINANCIAL STATEMENT."

When looking at the numerous grammatical errors, it only makes me wonder about the possible discrepancies in the numeric entrances....But, on pain of having my lungs ripped out, I'D NEVER question the integrity of our esteemed leader.

Council quickly rejected the report(?), and called on Reich

Marshal Finnan for a detailed, reasonable report. It is not that you're not trusted Mr. President, but....

Our informers from the grapevine tell us that there has been a run on receipt books since last Monday nights council meeting. Get yours while supplies last.

In a lighter/twisted vein, for those of you who follow the N.F.L. merry-go-round, Rozelle's playground has moved to the friendly confines of Pontiac, Michigan. The odds in this wonderful contest of courage and stamina have to go with the mighty little Tigettes. Inside knowledge has it that the Bengals have brought

in their own supply of crank. Prayers for Prairie Joe can be offered at your local tavern.

Notes from Rumorville....

It appears that our S.R.C. executives' tactful mannerisms (I use the term VERY loosely) have already caused problems. Funny thing, I guess that even when you're in power you have to maintain some level of diplomacy. At this rate, the executive could find themselves with extra office space.

To end on happier note, congrats to Carol and Derek. They have formally announced their leap into society. One man's toley....

## Blood donor clinic a success

By DEBORAH GENEAU  
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The blood donor clinic was a success for the Red Cross who managed to fill their quota of 600, but total donations fell a little short of the desired 1,000. 746 donors turned up despite terrible weather to give the gift of life.

The winner of the residence

competition was MacKenzie House with 98% participation. Aitken was second with 92%, Bridges, third with 50% and Neill was fourth with 44%.

Awards were given to members of the Fredericton community for their long records of donations. A total of 50 donations were given by Mr. Donald Barrett, Mr. Robert

Bartlett, Mr. Russell Crowell, Mr. Andrew Duncan and Prof. Eric Garland. Awards for a total of 35 donations were given to Mr. John Beunders, Mr. David Borland, Mr. William Kilburn, Mr. Jack McKinley and Mr. Roland McLean.

Thanks, to everyone who had the guts to give a little.

## Young Liberals hold meeting

By JUDITH ROGERS  
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The UNB STU Young Liberals will be holding an organizational meeting Wednesday, January 27 in Room 103 of the SUB at 7:30 p.m.

The New Brunswick Young Liberal Vice President Paul Wentzell who is organizing the meeting says that many topics will be discussed including the upcoming leadership convention and the organization of a young liberal club on campus.

The Liberal leadership convention will be held in Fredericton at the Aitken Centre February 26 and 27. This is an excellent opportunity for students to get a first hand

look at a major political convention.

Wentzell says youth will make up over ten percent of the delegates in the convention and this is a continuous sign of the openness of the

liberal party towards youth.

Any questions regarding the convention and the formation of a club on campus will be answered at the meeting. For further information call 454-3321.

## Book reviewed

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march. "Thus we see today," Pius declared in 1932, "what was never seen in history, the satanical banners of war against God and against religion brazenly unfurled to the winds in the midst of all peoples and in all parts of the earth."

Such are the themes of this exercise in good old diplomatic history. Inexplicably, Kent ends the story in 1935, with the worst in relations between the Pope and the Duce yet to come. No matter. There is enough to be learned from this short study. Anyway, good things come in small packages.

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