

FACULTY OF ARTS INCLUDING NEW APPOINTMENTS

Canada

10

163

Canada, 42%; U.S., 31%; U.K., 14%; Others, 13%.

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Latest figures released

57% of new appointments go to non-Canadian faculty

The majority of faculty appointments to York this year went non-Canadians, recently released university statistics show. Canadians now have less than 51

Department

Computer Sci.

Economics

Foreign Lit.

French Lit.

Geography

Humanities

Philosophy

Political Sci.

Psychology

Social Sci.

Sociology

Linguistics

Physical Ed.

Mathematics

History

English

per cent representation in 15 of the 16 departments in the Faculty of

Of the 138 new appointments made by all faculties Canadians comprised 42.8 per

U.K.

Others Total

21

44

11

18

22

34

33

14

31

53

18

4

2

11

52

Kingdom, 11.6 per cent; others, 14.5 per cent.

the Canadians hired, however, one-third did their graduate work outside Canada.

University senate figures show that 65 of the 138 faculty obtained their senior degree in the United States. Only 39 received it in Canada.

Statistics released by dean of arts John Saywell show that Canadians have majority representation in only one arts department — physical education.

Sociology has the lowest percentage of Canadians, 17.6 and the highest percentage of Americans,

In humanities and political science both Canadians and Americans have representation.

Canadians comprise 21.4 per cent of the philosophy department and 38.6 per cent of the English department.

The departments of French literature and history and the division of social science all have 50 per cent Canadian represen-



Captain Purves and his crew from firehall 10 remove flags from front of Ross building as a public service.

MAC picks Dec. 15 for referendum on CYSF

McLaughlin college council has set Tuesday, December 15, as the date for its referendum on continuing college membership on the Council of York Student Federation.

At a college council meeting Monday the decision to hold a referendum was unanimously reaffirmed after a debate between council members and CYSF president Paul Axelrod.

Axelrod attempted to answer

questions the council members had and to present his view of the role

In response to his questions the council presented three subjects on which they disagreed with CYSF.

The council felt there had been 'mismanagement and misuse of (CYSF) funds." When pressed to provide specific examples, they could only present disagreements with CYSF's spending priorities.

The council felt CYSF did not

spend enough money on social affairs

There was also disagreement over CYSF's allotting of funds for off-campus groups.

In his reply to the council Axelrod said CYSF had done a lot for the students at York and proceeded to list the council's accomplishments (which he outlines in his letter on page 7).

He stated that the issues raised do not justify pulling out of the

Axelrod felt the dispute was a matter of politics and suggested that McLaughlin could wait until CYSF elections in February and elect people who were more in line with their political beliefs.

He noted that any decision to withdraw from CYSF would not

Police drug raid nets 2 arrests in Founders res.

Police sunday night raided Founders College residence arrested two men and seized six pounds of marijuana.

Officers followed York student Howard Norton 22, and Gordon Rudyk 27, from Toronto International Airport after they watched them pick up a package.

The two were charged with illegal possession of narcotics for the purpose of trafficking.

Norton was a former house president in Founders residence. It is not known whether Metro police were accompanied by RCMP acting under a writ of assistance.

According to Metro police, however, no special warrants or permission are needed to enter a university campus.

take effect until that time anyway.

It was evident at the meeting that the members of the council were not against the concept of a central student government but only against some of the policies of that government.

At their regular meeting Tuesday members of CYSF discussed the referendum but could make no formal decisions because they failed to obtain a quorum.

At that meeting, Axelrod explained what had gone on at the McLaughlin council meeting.

CYSF members decided to take no action because they had received no official notification from McLaughlin council.

The discussion brushed on such topics as forming a committee to campaign in the referendum to holding a campus-wide referendum on the question of a central student government.

Student survey says one-third homosexual

By WENDY DENNIS

How would you feel if your best friend told you he was a homosexual? What is your reaction to the formation of a homophile association on campus?

Questions such as these were posed by the York Homophile Association in a questionnaire distributed at random last week to students.

Of a total of 150 students responding to the questionnaire approximately one-third had practised homosexuality to varying degrees ranging from occasionally to exclusively.

A marked difference was shown between male and female respondents on this question — the former demonstrating a much greater range in sexual orientation than the latter: 87 per cent of the females considered themselves exclusively heterosexual whereas only 59 per cent of the males placed themselves in that category.

Regarding the formation of a homophile association on campus, it was found that 51 per cent of students polled gave non-

participatory support to the organization.

The results also showed that the 18 per cent opposed to the organization were also those who had never had any homosexual

friends. The questionnaire also attempted to find out how the homosexual is perceived as a person - and what kind of stereotypes are commonly associated with him.

The answers were almost evenly divided between those who thought of an effeminate, mincing man when they heard the word "homosexual" and those who just thought of an ordinary person.

However, the results also showed that the stereotyped attitudes prevailed amongst the group that had little or no previous contact with homosexuals.

It was concluded that, as the frequency of previous contact with homosexuals increased, so did the tendency to perceive him as indistinguisable from heterosexuals.

The association plans to conduct a more exhaustive survey in January.

Task force to report beginning of January

By DAVID CHUD

The Task Force on Canadian Education will make its report to the Council of the York Student Federation on January 4.

At the CYSF meeting Tuesday night two representatives of the task force explained the problems they have had since the establishment of the group last March.

The task force which was originally made up of six undergraduate and graduate students was to have reported on the problems of maintaining Canadian education at York in view of the recent influx of foreign professors, methodology, and

Since its inception the task force has been beset by organizational problems (four of the members of the group have left) as well as problems of defining the Americanization problem meaningfully, a spokesman said.

The two remaining members warned CYSF that because of these factors their report would not be as comprehensive as previously promised.

Task force member Greg Beadling told CYSF much of the material gathered was not useful because of the problem of constructing questionnaires that gave substantive results. He added that the proportion of faculty who answered questionnaires was very

Council members, especially president Paul Axelrod and vicepresident Karen Hood were very critical of the task force members. They felt the task force should have worked out its problems or at least revealed them to the council long before this date.

Axelrod said that in his opinion "the obligations (of the task force to the council) have not been met."

When the task force releases its report, the document will contain studies of the first year programme in humanities and social science, a history of curriculum at Canadian universities and a study of the political science department with reference to ideology, faculty and reading material.