## Behind the Scenes

The Brunswickan (that's us!) has the distinct honour of being Canada's oldest official student publication, in other words, for 118 years it has been produced solely by student volunteers.

Our office is located in the Student Union Building, room 35. It is in this room that the news scoops are written and the sports scores are recorded, among other things.

In addition to the office there are three rooms with specialized equipment - the darkroom, complete with modern enlarging and developing equipment; the off-set room with a large camera that takes enlarged or reduced copies of pictures to

be laid out in the paper; and a typesetting room which consists of two computerized phototypesetting machines on which all the articles and columns can be entered and corrected before being printed out on photographic paper.

Before any of this great technology can be used though, the writers on the staff must come through with their stories and columns. Writing for the Bruns can be good experience in you academic life as well as providing good experience in dealing with the public.

If you are a basically curious person or if you belong to a club or organization the News Department, headed by Dave Mazerolle, is the place for you to be.

If records, films and plays are more to your liking then the Entertainment Department, manned by Joey Kilfoil, should be your home away from home.

And then for you Sports fans, there is our illustrious Sports Department. Whether you are a team member of just an avid fan there's room for you on this team! The head honcho is sports is Bill Traer alias Nick.

The unsung heroes behind the scenes have to be the photographers. The Photo Department, like the other departments, can teach you a useful asset for your future

and if you contribute regularly to the paper, use of the Bruns cameras and the darkroom can be made available to you. This year Alys Giannakakis alias Alys Smith has been the head artist behind the shutters.

Of the less "creative" although more enterprising side of things is the Ad Department. The Brunswickan relies heavily on their Advertising revenue to pay for the cost of printing and other materials although a large sum of money does come from the Student Union. The sale of adver-

tising space involves interaction with Fredericton's businessmen and is great experience towards life on the "outside". Both the Ad Manager Derrick Stanford and his Ad Design crew of Kristen Godwin and Susan Reed have had a very exciting and profitable year.

After all of these departments have put forth their contributions the entire staff gets together on Wednesday night for the actual laying out of the paper. Last minute details

are covered on Thursday morning and by 1:30 Thursday afternoon the paper is off to the press at the Daily Gleaner. Early Friday morning the Bruns is delivered around the campus courtesy of Moosehead and from then on the paper is history! Friday at 12:30

we all get together for a staff meeting at which newcomers are always welcome! So, if you are looking for excitement and/or a sense of belonging - join the Bruns. The office is always open during the summer so there are no excuses! Get involved.

