

# Sympathetic Montreal profs continue class boycott

MONTREAL - (CUP) Management-labour disputes continued to plague Montreal universities as both French-language institutions remained closed yesterday.

A majority of faculty members at the University of Montreal voted Wednesday to keep up their classroom boycott until a strike involving 1000 non-academic employees is settled.

At the Montreal campus of the University of Quebec,

meanwhile, professors continued their week old walkout as contract negotiations resumed under the supervision of a provincial mediator.

All classes were ended at the University of Montreal on October 4 when workers at the university left their jobs to protest the slowness of the administrations negotiations pertaining to wages, job security and professional status.

The teaching staff has supported the union (a local of the Canadian Union of Public

Employees) by refraining from teaching although professors are allowed to cross the picket lines. Students at both universities are supporting the strikers and it is unlikely they will return to any classes until the disputes are settled.

While negotiations were started again at the University of

Quebec in Montreal on October 18, spokesmen have not indicated that these sessions represent a significant break in the deadlock.

## ENROLLMENT DOWN...

### University budgets cut

WATERLOO(CUP) - Another university had to reshuffle its budget last weekend because of a money shortage due to underenrollment.

The University of Waterloo, following the trend set by the University of Calgary, Lethbridge, Laurentian and Alberta, cut its operating budget by \$600,000 and put a hiring freeze into effect on October 16 in an attempt to combat the financial problem.

During a press conference, Administration president, Burt

Matthews said the new policies are just a stop gap measure of a month until the University's revenue for this year can be accurately tabulated.

He said no cutback in any university program is foreseen because built-in "unallocated funds" in each departmental budget can be used. Extra faculty had been hired to accommodate the projected number of students. These extra professors will be kept on. Although unfilled positions will be frozen until the budget is redrawn in a month or so.

He said the projected new student enrollment was correct but that the projections for returning students and graduates were not. He guessed that the grad drop off rate may be because students are staying with summer jobs, instead of returning to school. He attributed that to the present unemployment crisis.

He said there were reports of grads jumping at teaching jobs before finishing their degree work.

The "short fall" effect is being felt all across Canada he said, and warned that many smaller colleges in Ontario will be in "real financial trouble" forcing a re-evaluation of government financial policy.

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# ELECTION DAY

Tomorrow, Fri. Oct. 22 is ELECTION DAY. If you're an Ed. Student, get out and vote for your rep. on Student's Council. If you're a Science student, hopefully you will have some candidates to vote for your rep. on Students' Council. If you're any kind of a student, get out and vote yes or no for the referendums on Trimester System.

## Slatter elected

### governor

Frans Slatter, who will be elected by acclamation to the Board of Governors in tomorrow's election, advocates everything from dynamiting the bio sci building to longer hours for the CAB Cafeteria.

Slatter, who is already treasurer of the Students' Union received a clear field to the B of G after former S.U. external vice-president, George Kuschminder withdrew from the race.

In a policy statement prepared for the campaign Slatter presented proposals affecting the University building program, tuition fees, public transportation to campus, green areas, and housing and food services.

The statement calls for buildings with classrooms more conducive to learning, and with more lounge space for undergrads, as well as for campus clean-up by dynamiting bio sci and landscaping. Slatter feel there should be more student representation on B of G, and more diverse representation for the community. There should be an end to the with-holding of marks for those who fail to pay parking tickets or library fines. Slatter also says tuition fees should be reduced if possible.

So with these campaign promises spinning through his head, Frans Slatter will join S.U. President, Don McKenzie in representing undergrads at the next meeting of the U of A Board of Governors.