

more lies and rumours

Arthur accidentally axed for no apparent reason

by Brent Holland

President Hairy Arthur is out of a job. Early this morning, five uniformed York Security Special Constables changed the locks to the president's office.

Members of Parking Squad D were stationed outside the office of the president to prevent Mr. Arthur from entering.

At 9:15 am a surprised Arthur was informed that he was no longer the president of York. Ex-president Arthur in a fury refused to leave the premises or give up the keys to the executive washroom.

This startling turn of events was recorded by an *Excalibur* staff member, who had been mistakenly locked inside the York executive offices overnight.

In the ensuing struggle for the keys, two Parking Officers were severely tongue lashed and Arthur was verbally beaten senseless.

Excalibur has learned that the president's parking space is now being taken by VP Finance Jamie Farr.

"It's that nasty Farr, Arthur said. "I had been warned previously that Farr is secretly running this university, but I took no heed," said Arthur later this morning.

Director of Security Ronaldia McDonald would only say that her office had no knowledge of the occurrence. "As far as I am concerned it [Arthur's firing] never happened, McDonald said. "Jamie Farr has always been president."

The student population has not yet been informed of the alleged dismissal. Fonz Go-Messy, president of York Student Federation (YSF) was unaware of the change in power. However, in an interview, Go-Messy stated that he was also unaware that Arthur was ever president of York.

"We are not talking about a change in

power, we're talking about a united student movement," said Go-Messy.

Provost, Beth Hopalong, Cora Lust, director of student affairs and Brain Rideau, director of housing, referred all questions to Farr.

Farr was unavailable for comment.

Members of the International Socialists and the York Conservative party are protesting the move by Farr. The two parties have united and formed a coalition to lobby the administration.

"We want Farr to step down. This is a blatant abuse of power, and we cannot possibly condone an action like this without our approval," said Ostenta Simpleton Jr., president of York conservatives.

Farr's residence on Pond Rd. was blocked off by Security, who prevented any reporters or protesters from entering.

Members of the student population have not given up. Andy Shuttle is currently in the process of starting a petition to be submitted to the Supreme Court of Canada.

"If that doesn't work I am going to sue him," Shuttle said.

Arthur has withdrawn from the controversy and could not be reached at his residence.

Petro Nerdic, a supporter of Shuttle's campaign, is also demanding that Farr reduce the amount of Security around his house and office.

"It's ridiculous! There is a wall of men and horses lining his house, his personal platoon of bodyguards are carry automatic weapons! I demand to talk to Arthur."

Excalibur could only count four Security Officers around Farr's house.

Protesters (m)eat Bologna with macaroni

by Grant Hoagie

York administration thought that they could get Prime Minister Brian Balogni onto campus quietly but they were wrong.

The PM visited York today to lecture to a group of Political Science students who were minoring in Home Ec (the PM's own academic background).

"Now that's good planning," said the Grand Poobah of Capitalism in reference to having Home Ec to fall back on.

Flying insults, accusations, nicknames and grenades greeted the All-Hailed Chief of Chins as he passed a group of 300 students who waited for his arrival in a basement cafeteria of the Bureacrat Studies building.

Chants such as "Brian, Brian you're a swine-dog, we're gonna send you out of here on a pig!" and "Hairy and Brian, the both of you are lions," aroused the crowd who waited overnight for Balogni's arrival.

"It was like waiting for Who tickets," said professor McNashlee of the Poli Sci department. "It was worth it just to see the grenade tossing."

SASSY (the Student Anarchy Society for Students at York) was also there to meet the PM. The special grenade tossing division, lead by Ian Kelsey's, was there, "to practice our stuff," Kelsey's said.

"Actually I was quite impressed by the big guy's dodging skills," Kelsey's said adjusting his beret. "We have been practicing our lobbying for about two years now and our aim is pretty good."

The protestors wanted the government to stop screwing students. "It's really quite painful sometimes," said Harold, a lonely bystander.

The Master-Baker started his lecture in the Red Tape Cafeteria by giving his recipe and samples of his famous macaroni and ginger root pie. After enjoying a brief dinner the Great Googly Moogly proceeded to his main address, a half hour session of guerilla theatre.

The performance art consisted mainly of faked suicides by the Prime Rib o' Suspect. The Poli Sci/Home Ec students gasped and gaped as Balogni hung himself, slashed his wrists, shot himself and blew himself up.

"What the hell is it all supposed to mean anyway?" Kelsey's asked. "If he's gonna do it, he should do it for real."

York's student council endorsed the lobbyists and helped organize a wine and tuition freeze reception afterward.

"We're not just talking about just some fringe lunatics tossing some grenades at the prime minister," said Fonz Go-Messy, president of the York Student Federation (YSF). "We're talking about a united student movement."

Excalibur staff was not informed about the visit until five seconds before the PM's arrival. A number of students were also upset that they hadn't been told about Balogni's performance.

"The prime minister wanted to communicate with the Poli Sci/Home Ec students and faculty, and we had to cater to his wishes," explained Louisa Mirth, a spokesperson for the dean of Bureacrat Studies.

Mirth added the protestors really didn't miss that much. "He's got a big chin and a cool smile but he just can't act," Mirth said. "If he wasn't the prime minister I don't think he would even have been invited to come."

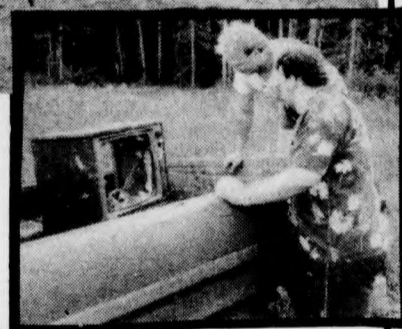


Axe-man shoots at car, T.V.

A hunting trip turned tragically wrong last weekend when guns were mistakenly turned on an abandoned car and television.

"Hell, we thought they was rabbits," said a visibly shaken Brett "Don't-screw-with-me-I've-got-an-axe" Gellert.

Gellert was hunting for helpless hares with his uncle Mike when the incident occurred near Scrapemoff Falls, 50 miles east of Mobile, Alabama.



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