

Free beer quiz

by Dave Allen

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- 1) Dalhousie University plans to use its new Slowpoke nuclear reactor in the Life Sciences Centre
 - a) to study atomic particles in an academic atmosphere
 - b) to limit the reproductive capacity of Psychology professors
 - c) to wage a limited tactical nuclear war against a small African nation

- 2) Engineering students are
 - a) true

- b) false
- c) don't know

3) Most students will pay off their student loans

- a) in time to collect their old age pension
- b) when their copy of the Howard Hughes will is verified by the courts
- c) as soon as that kilo comes in from Mexico

4) If you are walking along a dark dingy alley and someone comes from behind and says, "Hi there, want a good time sailor." you are

- a) in New York City
- b) in Shirreff Hall
- c) you sure aren't at Mount Saint Vincent

5) How many American professors are there at Dalhousie University

- a) about the same number as there are at Ohio State
- b) enough to create a 51st state
- c) I don't know but you can spot them cause they get drunk on three Moosehead.

6) If Henry Hicks retires who would you like to see replace him as

President of Dalhousie University

- a) Monty Hall
- b) Raymond Burr
- c) the Fonz, ayyyy!

7) How can you tell Dalhousie University from Saint Mary's U

- a) Dalhousie students have ten toes
- b) people from SMU move their lips when they read
- c) SMU grants only two degrees, Fahrenheit and Celsius

8) When the new sports complex is finished what should be done with the present football field

- a) turn it into a drive-in movie
- b) put up tents and call it a new residence
- c) promote it as a tourist attraction, the largest piece of flat land in Nova Scotia

Wake up Canada there's no free lunch

Once upon a time there was a Little Red Rooster who scratched about and uncovered some grains of wheat. He called his barnyard neighbours and said: "If we work together and plant this wheat, we will have some fine bread to eat. Who will help me plant the wheat?"

"Not I," said the Cow. "Not I," said the Duck. "Not I," said the Goose. "Then I will," said the Little Red Rooster and he did.

After the wheat started growing, the ground turned dry and there was no rain in sight. "Who will help me water the wheat?" said the Little Red Rooster.

"Not I," said the Cow. "I'd lose my workman's compensation," said the Pig. "Equal rights," said the Goose. "Then I will," said the Little Red Rooster and he did.

The wheat grew tall and ripened into golden grain. "Who will help me reap the wheat?" asked the Little Red Rooster.

"I'm waiting for a guaranteed annual wage," said the Cow. "Not I," said the Duck. "Out of my classification," said the Pig. "Not I," said the Goose. "Then I will," said the Little Red Rooster and he did.

When it came time to grind the flour, "Not I," said the Cow. "I'd lose my unemployment insurance," said the Duck.

When it came time to bake the bread. "That's

overtime for me," said the Cow. "I'm a dropout and never learned how," said the Duck. "I'd lose my welfare benefits," said the Pig. "If I'm the only one helping, that's discrimination," said the Goose.

"Then I will," said the Little Red Rooster and he did. He baked five loaves of fine bread and held them up for his neighbours to see.

"I want some," said the Cow. "I want some," said the Duck. "I want some," said the Pig. "I demand my share," said the Goose.

"No," said the Little Red Rooster. "I can rest for awhile and eat five loaves myself."

"Excess profits," cried the Cow. "Capitalist leech," screamed the Duck. "Company fink," grunted the Pig. "Equal rights," screamed the Goose. And they hurriedly painted picket signs and marched around the Little Red Rooster, singing, "We shall overcome." And they did.

For when the Farmer came to investigate the com-

motion, he said, "You must not be greedy, Little Red Rooster. Look at the oppressed Cow. Look at the disadvantaged Duck. Look at the underprivileged Pig. Look at the less fortunate Goose. You are guilty of making second-class citizens of them."

"But-but-but I earned the bread," protested the Little Red Rooster.

"Exactly," the wise Farmer said. "That is the wonderful free enterprise system; anybody in the barnyard can earn as much as he wants. You should be happy to have all this freedom. In other barnyards, you would have to give all your loaves to the Farmer. Here you give four loaves to your suffering neighbours."

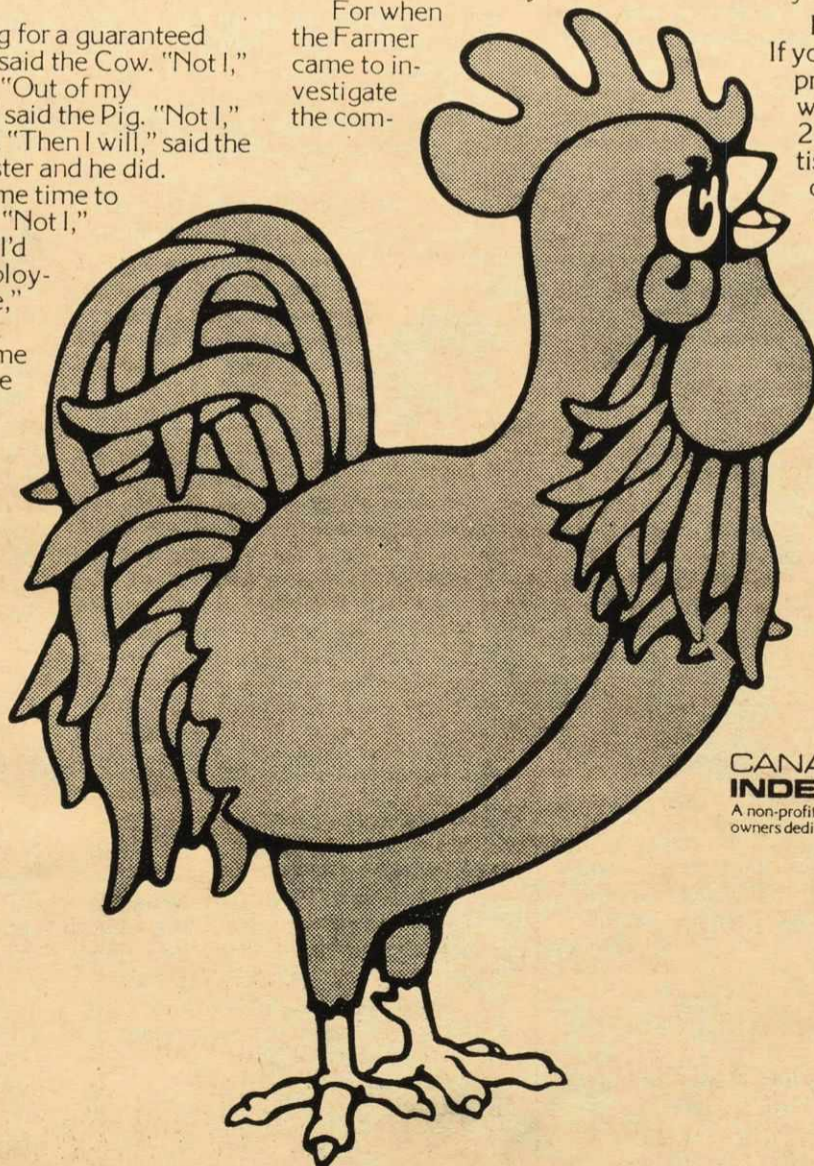
And they lived happily ever after. Including the Little Red Rooster, who smiled and crowed, "I am grateful, I am grateful."

But his neighbours wondered why he never baked any more bread.

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