

Gateway staffers, they're so fine  
 Another year older, but like good wine  
 They blend together, the young and old  
 Viewpoints rampant, plans so bold  
 Today's our future, the path's unclear  
 Personal anarchy our dream so dear  
 And anarchy's time it is to play  
 With Gateway staffers leadin' the way....

Jens Andersen flicks the ash from his deerstocker pipe, pulls the cloak around Allison Annesley's ears, and answers, "Elementary dear Margaret Baer," 'twas Martin Beales who shot the moose on Stacey Bertle's living room shag while she and Kent Blinston watched Peter Block file down the old locks, and Gunnar Blodgett's alibi came down with mono missing Durk Boivin by scant femtoparsecs. Gilbert Bouchard was arrested on charges unheard simply because Aaron Bushkowsky and Sandra Corbett saw UFO's in quad and figured that only Big Al or perhaps Martin Coutts and David Cox, working in tandem could perpetrate such a hoax."

"Moose-doeys," yelled Brett Kullman, in bowler and tweeds, "You're full of it! Anyone with 28 grams of brains can tell that the crime yet unspecified has Lois Dayes' *Modus operandi* scrawled all over it. And it's obvious that Kent Fargey, drunk as he was, wasn't near Igor Gavanski and Jim Gerwing when Ray Giguere and Ninette Gironella passed out Communist handouts. Much to the horror of Valerie Gislason, who barely contained her anger towards Ann Grever and Barry Groves in RATT over a beer, it was announced that John Algard had married Tom Hayward."

A shot rang out. All present ran to the sitting room and gasped. As Sarah Hickson, with smoking .45 in hand, giggled over the blooded corpses of Zane Harker and Roy van Hooydonk, while Cathy Hrynchyshyn and Bill Inglee bled in the corner. "Oh no," screamed Beth Jacob, "there goes my bridge game," but only Brent Jang and Gerard Kennedy left whole. Heather-Ann Laird didn't give a hoot, and Nate La Roi pulled a swig from a hip flask.

*Fade to one. Cue two. Fade to black. Up on house lights. Curtain up. Scene enter at stage right, on three, two, one....*

## The criminals, the accomplices and the accessories

An old 747 with Captain Michael Leitch at the helm and Ken Lenz playing the crazed terrorist who can't find his partner in crime, Dan Leskiw, caught in tortured conversation with Grant Littke and George Longmore (who really doesn't exist, being a *nom de plume* used by Catherine McLaughlin and Vic Marchiel). Janine McDade and Jim Miller are typecast as stacked stewardesses in search of rich singles and try vainly to supply Wes Oginski and Mary Ruth Olsen with pretzels and pink lemonade. Peter Pullicey 'got religion' when he saw two engines burn out. Teri Lyn Paulgard and Shawna Peets waltzed on the wing with the fairies and trolls; Bruce Pollock and Karen Redford sat that particular number out. The ball lightning screamed, the clouds hurled through the skies and Mark Roppel

threw up in the aisle, totally grossing out both John Roggeveen and Charmaine Roux. Margo Schmitt screamed; Michael Skeet and Christine Scott searched for Anne Stephen's contact lenses. James L. Stevens laughed everything off.

Meanwhile, back at the ranch, Jack Vermeewrestled sheep to the ground, Sandy Vickerson talked political science to the chickens, Andrew Watts punched out the doggie and Richard Watts made hay (diddle dee in C minor). Jim Weir and Adam Wessel cleaned out the pig barn avoiding Lori White who passed out quite easily. Tom Wilson wished he was in Fort McMurray and Robert Woodbury wishes that he be anywhere but the Gateway on press night when all the aforementioned weirdos gather together and do whatever it is that they do.

## IMPORTANT NEWS ABOUT THE CANADA STUDENT LOANS PROGRAM

The Government of Canada is proposing changes in the Canada Student Loans (CSL) Act to help provide post-secondary students with financial assistance to pursue their education.

### What

We propose to offer:

- **Guaranteed loans to needy part-time students** to help cover the cost of tuition fees, learning materials, transportation and related expenses.
- **An interest relief plan for unemployed graduates** to provide for the payment of interest charges due on student loans. Both full and part-time students would be eligible for assistance.
- **Increased weekly student loan limits** to \$100 from the current level of \$56.25.

### When

Our objective: the coming academic year.

We intend to introduce legislation in Parliament shortly to make these changes to the CSL Act.

The implementation of the proposed changes will require the co-operation of participating provinces and lending institutions.

### Where can you get more information?

For more information on these proposals, write to:

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