



Hard tug on a line to mud. Photo Stan Mah

Friday the huskiest (male) representatives of Commerce and Engineering tugged at a peaceful war. To the losers: a bath. Had Aggies been consulted, it might have been a bath of a different odor...

Introduction: The "war" between the engineers and the business and commerce folks ended in a tug-of-war Fri. afternoon in Quad. Although Gateway reporters were there, the fastest record od events was printed o computer and rushed through the typesetting equipment. It follows verbatim:

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...The previously planned Engineering/Comerce tug of war (cross reference/RSTR-08-658B-2111342-150976) was executed (time 121509/...) as scheduled. The engineers began losing (time 121724) were aided by other engineering students by rope tugging and the throwing of water-filled balloons...

The observed actions of the non-participating engineering students indicates an extreme cohesiveness among the engineering students as is well known (cross reference/07-641B-134102-180475). These actions conclude the following,

That they

- (1) are inept at tug of war
- (2) cannot allow anyone to show them up
- (3) cheat despite of the course which presents engineering ethics (Engineering 200)
- (4) do NOT rule the world ... Computers do

Conclude computer report 08-479B-123055-240976

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... but only if we quickly supplement our shortage of staff. That's why we need YOU to come to our Rookie Night on Thurs, Sept. 30 in Room 282 SUB at 7 p.m. If you're quick enough to find the offices (tucked away in the southeast corner of 2nd floor SUB) and you're enthusiastic enough to turn out on Thurs., they you'll definitely be a good staffer. And we need news reporters, feature writers, arts reviewers, photojournalists, graphics artists, layout personnel, etc. So come out and get involved with your campus newspaper. We'll have style guides, editorial (yawn) comments and refreshments (nod, nod, wink, wink) for all.

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Rural dentists needed

The dental health of most Albertans, especially that of rural Albertans, is generally poor, and a U of A Senate report says it will remain so until a preventative dental program (with flouridation of water supplies) is begun and dentists can be persuaded to leave their comfortable city practices for the country.

According to the Report of the Committee on Dental Service to Rural Areas presented to Friday's Senate meeting, no more than two of every five Albertans receive regular dental care and between 18% and 37% of Albertans 16 years of age and older are edentulous (without teeth).

If the personal pain and inconvenience wasn't enough to recommend preventative dentistry then the cost of restorative dentistry "should make prevention a matter of conviction," stated the report.

Presently, less than 50 per-

cent of Alberta's population is protected by flouridation, the report added, and even Calgary's water supply isn't flouridated.

Senate member Rita Calhous said 200 towns were contacted about flouridation of their water supply in 1974, and only 20 towns showed an interest; of those 20, only 17 held a plebiscite. Three towns eventually flouridated their water supply.

A Dental Health Officer from Edmonton, Dr. Lizaire, thought people resist this step because of emotionalism, ignorance, or misinformation about flouridation.

Some people, he claimed, have associated the flouridation of the water with a communist plot.

"A major problem with regard to provision of dental service to rural areas is simply getting dental manpower out of the cities and into the country," said the report.

The saturation theory, that dentists will gravitate towards

rural areas once there are too many dentists in the city, has only resulted in dentists moving out of province to other urban areas, notably in BC.

It was suggested to the authors of the report that the selection procedures of the dentistry faculty (which is a quota faculty) be changed so as to encourage the selection of rural students who might be expected to return to rural areas.

Discussion of expanded duties of dental assistants and hygenists brought forth confusion and concern "Among more conservative members of the profession," said the report, "this may simply add up to a dislike for the transfer of any aspect of dental practice outside the 'anointed hands' of the dentist."

Commented Dr. Bernard Adler, "I personally don't favour any dental hygenist or technologist or whatever you want to call them doing any work without direct supervision."

Trident protest stopped short

BANGOR, WASH. (CUP) - Twenty-one demonstrators were arrested here Sept. 19 after breaking into the Trident Nuclear Submarine Base to protest the construction of the 559 foot submarines.

The submarines, targeted to use the base by 1979, can carry up to 408 nuclear warheads each with ten times the destructive capability of the Hiroshima bomb.

Seven members of the Pacific Life Community, a group dedicated to halting the spread of nuclear weapons, cut through the fence surrounding the base. They were followed in by 14 others while about 60 demonstrators stood outside chanting and singing.

Within ten minutes the protestors were dragged back through the fence by United States Defence Department police. The group had notified the base of their planned action, part of a series of demo stratio s at the base.

Eight were charged with destruction of government property, unlawful re-entry, or both. No trial date has been set. The other 13 were given barring letters, meaning they will be charged with unlawful re-entry if they ever enter the base again.

Arts Students interested in...

- (1) improved communication of student needs to faculty
- (2) organized student activity within the Arts Faculty
- (3) student and university affairs in general

General Meeting
Wed, Sept. 29
7:30
Rm 270 SUB

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