

Dinner by scandal-light.

## **CKDU** seeks aid

With the tremendous interest shown by all the new staff members, along with the return of veteran members, the year has started off quite well for CKDU. Station Manager Mike Wile now has CKDU broadcasting one hundred and nine hours a week, a feat he and the staff are very proud of.

CKDU now performs an important role for the students living in Sherriff and Howe Hall as well as Fenwick Place. Pat Findlay covers all the varsity and intramural sports, providing a comprehensive report on all of Dalhousie's athletic endeavours. The sports program is broadcast daily at 5:00 p.m.

The station also informs the students of the various events going on in and around the Dalhousie campus. If you have an event open to the students and would like to let them know about it through CKDU

contact Mike Wile or Fred Blufarb, the public services director.

CKDU is giving students an alternative, providing an FM format on the AM radio band. Since students are doing the broadcasting, it is obvious that the music is what most students want to listen to. Along with the music the station also broadcasts special programs such as the recent War of the Worlds Hallowe'en program.

Along this line there will be a Remembrance Day special on Vimy Ridge November 10 at 10:00 p.m. and November 11 at 11:00 a.m. On Sunday, November 13, there will be a special on Ernest Hemingway at 10:00 p.m.

The station is very open for suggestions. If you have any contact the Station Manager, or the Program Director, Pat Gaul, at 424-2410. CKDU broadcasts at 610 on the AM band.

### Coates criticized

The Black United Front in Halifax has criticized the Progressive Conservative Party for their election of Nova Scotia MP Robert C. Coates as president.

Art Criss, BUF executive director told the Gazette that telegrams have been sent to National Leader Joe Clark, Provincial Leader John Buchanan, and to Coates, in hopes of having a meeting with them regarding the party's position towards South Africa.

A Halifax Anti-apartheid Group had formed a national coalition to oppose Coates' bid for president because of his views on the white regime of John Vorster. Following visits to South Africa Coates returned calling for more 'understanding' into the South African government.

Criss wants the party to clarify its position on South Africa and has written to all MPs requesting their views.

Whereas, university and college newspapers are holding the 40th Annual Conference of Canadian University Press from December 26 to January 2 in Halifax with the Dalhousie "Gazette", Saint Mary's "Journal" and Mount Saint Vincent "Picaro" as co-hosts, and

In recognition of university and college students' effortful interest in and support of civic affairs and needs;

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during which all citizens are invited and encouraged to a broader and deeper understanding of University purposes and contributions and to the invaluable role of students in the enrichment of our City's and Province's economic, social, recreational and cultural life.

EDMUND MORRIS MAYOR

# Quebec students confront minister

MONTREAL (CUP)—Shouting "Parti Quebecois, parti bourgeois," more than 1,000 college and university students confronted Quebec education minister Jacques-Yvan Morin Nov. 3 during a 10th anniversary symposium on the province's community college (CEGEP) system.

Morin attempted to out-shout the students and responded, "This year the fight is against unemployment and that is our top priority for the time being. Unemployment touches a great many people . . . not too many people are touched by students having to pay relatively small tuition."

But the students were not calmed by Morin's statements and the minister soon left the symposium. "A massive free-for-all like this will not teach us anything," he said on his way out.

Morin told the students that the provincial government would not consider a demand for free tuition for an indefinite period of time. Free education is a policy included in the PQ's platform and is a demand that has been presented to the minister's office by the Association Nationale des Etudiants du Quebec (ANEQ).

The symposium, organized by the Federation des CEGEPs to review the first 10 years of the colleges' existence, was designed to assess public opinion of CEGEPs which, according to the federation, has at times been negative. Discussion of accessibility to post-secondary education, adult education, professional training programs, and the social

role of CEGEPs were also included on the agenda.

Before the shouting began, students from Montmorency CEGEP in Ville Laval presented grievances to the education minister and requested that the provincial government intervene in the present conflict at their institution. Students there have been locked out of classes by the administration as a result of an occupation protesting for the right to distribute literature without interference from the administration and against the cost and quality of food in the cafeteria and the lack of adequate training in the communications program.

Students at Lionel Groulx CEGEP boycotted classes in support of the symposium demonstration and stated that they would be demonstrating on their own campus against a 25 per cent increase in residence fees and the cost of cafeteria food.

Students from the Universite du Quebec and Montreal also addressed Morin before the outbreak, protesting the provincial government's policy which requires that auxiliary services in schools be self-financing.

UQAM students are boycotting the university's four cafeterias. Cafeteria prices recently increased substantially.

Student representatives have speculated that protests may soon reach a provincial level as two other CEGEPs, Bois de Boulogne and St. Jean, are planning to contest the quality and price offered in their cafeterias.



## Police attack Kent State demonstrators

KENT, Ohio (CUP)—About 1,500 students demonstrating peacefully at Kent State University in Ohio met with police armed with tear gas and clubs Oct. 22.

The students staged the march despite a last-minute court order forbidding their demonstration against university plans to erect a gym on the site of the 1970 shooting of four anti-war protestors.

The-demonstrators and onlookers were twice stormed by county and campus police with clubs, tear gas cannisters, police vans and horses. They were also threatened with

M-16 rifles and at least one machine gun, according to reports in the New York Guardian.

Students have been demanding a halt to the gym for several months and have regularly held large demonstrations. They have also called on the university to recognize the injustice of the 1970 shootings, committed by Ohio National Guardsmen.

The Kent administration is seeking a permanent injunction banning all gym rallies until June 1978 and banning non-students from campus gatherings.