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Doors 8 p.m., Music 8:30 p.m.  
Admission \$2 advance at HUB Box Office  
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## STAFF NEEDED

30 people needed for Wed. Oct. 6  
to work for Election and Referendum

**\$3 per hour**

All, or part of the day.

## Rent hike for residences

TORONTO (CUP) - The Ontario government's solution to a bureaucratic paper problem has deprived residence students across the province of the right to appeal rent increases to the provincial rent review board.

From July, 1975 until May, 1976, all universities in Ontario were classified as landlords who were expected to justify every rent increase exceeding eight percent.

"The way it was set up, we would have had to file a separate form for every student," University of Toronto administrative director E. McDermid said. He said they would have needed two or three more "girls" in just to handle the paperwork.

According to McDermid, one university had gone through 70,000 pieces of paper to plead its case. Not wishing to deplete Canada's forests, universities across Ontario notified the government that the rent review, as it existed, simply could not be applied to university residences.

At this point, the government had two options, said David Warner, provincial New Democratic party education critic.

Universities could remain under the rent review by using a form of "class action," allowing the universities to fill only one form for each residence or type of student. Warner said this would have simplified the procedure for the universities and students would still feel protected.

Instead, the government chose the second option. Sid Handleman, Ontario's minister of

consumer and commercial relations, announced that university students did not require the protection which the rental act provided, and proposed that universities be exempted from the eight percent ceiling.

The only right which students retain is that recognized student councils or associations must be "consulted" before any residence budgets are passed.

## Report documents university enrolment

OTTAWA (CUP) - University enrolment is up and will continue to rise, according to a report from Statistics Canada.

But over-all enrolment in the education system declined, mainly due to the falling birth rate during the 1962-73 period, the Stats Can report says.

During this period education spending rose to \$9.6 billion from \$2.3 billion, almost twice the rate of growth in the Gross National Product (GNP), the report says.

Meanwhile, the federal share of education expenditures dropped to 10.2 percent from

14.9 percent while provincial spending rose 60.7 percent from 43.6 percent, according to Stats Can.

Federal proposals for future cost-sharing with the provinces when the Fiscal Arrangements Act expires next year include tying the federal contribution to the rise in the GNP and transferring

tax powers to the provinces replacing the current system whereby the federal government funds account for 50 percent of provincial expenditures.

The report also notes that while workers in the Atlantic provinces absorbed a greater percent of education expenditures than their counterparts in Ontario and the West, less was spent on students in that region.

## BURSARIES

The University Women's Club is offering bursaries to \$250 to \$300 to aid mature students who require financial assistance to continue their education. Bursaries are given on the basis of need.

Application should be made before Oct. 15 to "University Women's Club Bursary" Room 2-5, University Hall. (Dean of Students' Office)

**SATURDAY SEMINARS** - continue this Sat. Oct. 2 in Room 282, SUB with a 1:30 p.m. discussion of photo-journalism. Ray Smith, free-lance photog and Mount Royal College photojournalism instructor, and Terry Cioni, ex-Calgary Herald photog and photojournalism instructor at SAIT, will host the seminar. Anyone interested - Gateway staff or not - is invited to attend.

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