

Some houses seem to be getting more for their money

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The people staying in some residences at UNB are getting "ripped off".

In the Lady Beaverbrook Residence there is a pool which the members of LBR are allowed to use twice a week and a squash court for general use.

Upon entering this residence one is struck with the tomb-like silence and atmosphere which seems to pervade the whole building. The brick exterior with its ivy and bell tower are remnants of an age past. However, LBR is the most spacious and comfortable of mens residences.

The other mens residences were all on a lower level than LBR. There is no attempt at trying to cover the bareness and cell-like appearance of the corridors of the mens residences. The walls are drab dirty green. There is no carpeting on the floors except LBR. The girls' residences on the other hand, were quite awe-inspiring. There is wall to wall carpeting in Lady Dunn Hall and Tibbits. The furniture is of a higher class than that of the mens residences.

One thing all residences seem to have in common is lots of heat, it is uncomfortably hot.

For the most part students seemed satisfied with their accommodations; but there is some discontent. In Neill House, which is by far the dirtiest, people were complaining about sagging spring beds and mattresses and the fact that the beds are 14-15 years old.

Many people feel that they are getting ripped off by paying the same money for substandard living conditions as those students who enjoy comfortable accommodations in the Lady Beaverbrook Residence or the Lady Dunn Hall and Tibbits.

They are demanding equality in services rendered and facilities.

By far the ladies residences are the most impressive of all residences on campus. The men's residences give a prison-like atmosphere with long, narrow, half-lit corridors made of stone and coloured dully.

No booze at Carni?

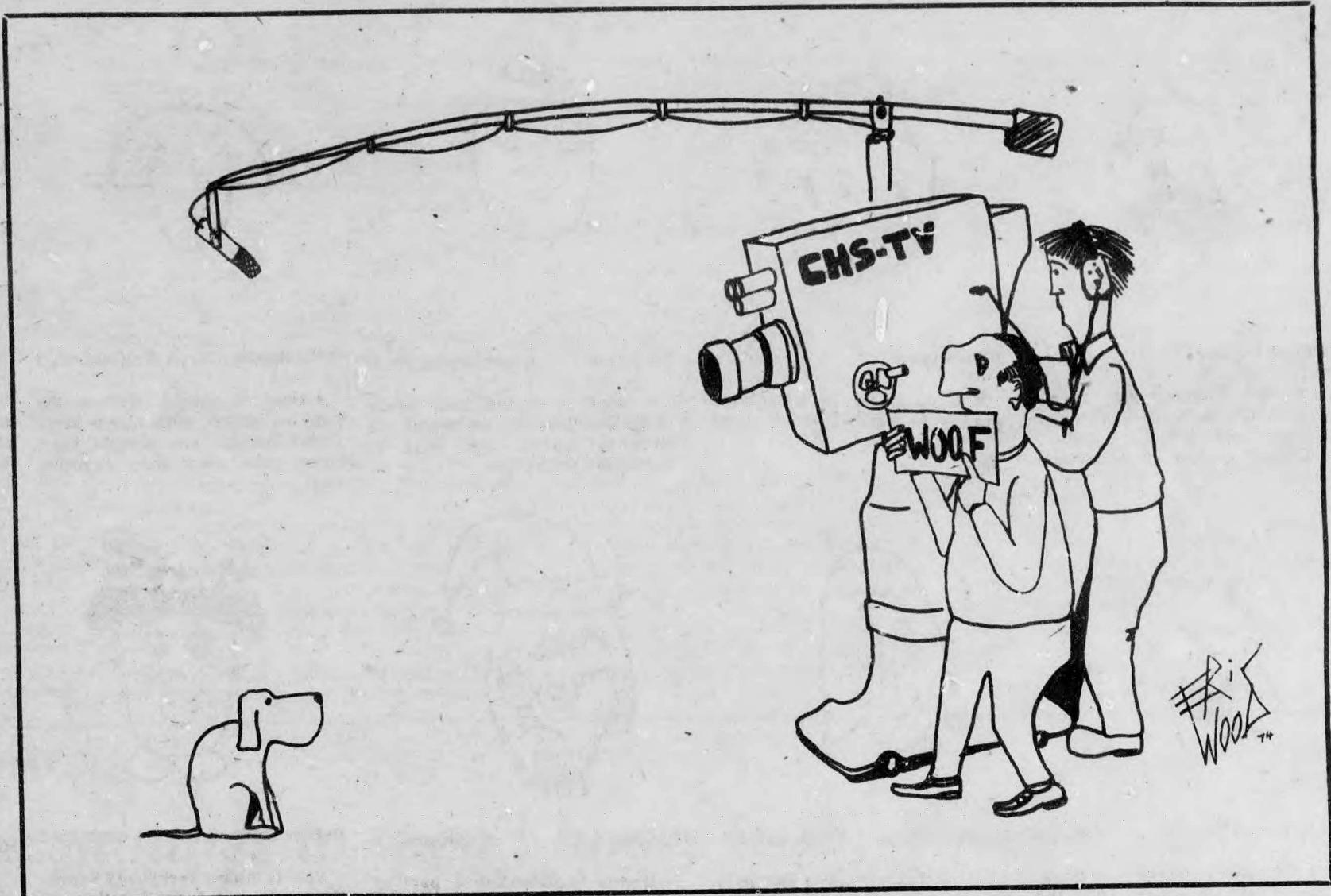
Dear Sir:

It has come to our attention that the Winter Carnival Committee plans to hold all events without selling alcoholic beverages. This, in our opinion, is not only ridiculous, but also foolish on their part. We sincerely hope they are not planning to pay for the cost of the events with the proceeds from admission because it is only logical that not too many will attend.

We are not back in our high school days when dances were held with the chaperons looking on to make sure there was no booze brought in. In our opinion, there is no reasoning behind this concept of "no booze" at our Winter Carnival. Someone should reconsider. It is a person's own prerogative whether or not he wants to drink. We think the decision should be left up to the individual — not the committee!!!

Sincerely,

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Girls complain of eating habits in Aitken

Dear Sir:

This letter is being written with regard to our dinner guests of the evening of Saturday 12th. The dining hall of Tibbits and Lady Dunn was visited by the men (Ha Ha) of Aitken House.

Being classed as the Aitken Animals is an understatement for people of their mentality.

Not only did they turn the stomachs of many of the girls, they also had the gall to turn over their trays on the table rather than returning them to the dishroom

window as is common procedure.

We were forced to dine to the singing, although a bit off tune, of Aitken, Aitken, Aitken (inappropriate dinner music) as if we didn't know where these animals came from.

Although not shocked by the

sight of alcoholic beverages, it is never seen in our dining hall during meals. Saturday evening blew that.

Loaves of bread were thrown underneath tables. Have you ever experienced the sensation of having your feet resting on a load of bread?

If this is the practice carried on at their homes, no wonder their parents patted them on their backs and sent them out into the world to grow up.

Yours truly,

Nauseated Females



A vicious rumour has been running rampant around the campus this week regarding a 'dry' carnival. It seems that the Carnival Committee came up with the idea of having no booze at any of the events. There were quite a number of people at the time who agreed with them. There was also a lot who didn't. The committee seemed to feel that we don't need to drink in order to have fun. Fortunately at their meeting on Tuesday night the carnal people decided to keep carn '74 a wet one. They then all adjourned to the Social Club for tea and donuts.

BEEFS?

Have you got a beef about anything? Are you happy about something? If so, why not write us a letter and let us know about it. If you don't want your names published we don't have to put them in, but we do have to know what they are. We appreciate having anything submitted to us for our Sound Off page. Material should be type-written and double spaced. If you don't own a typewriter, then write or print it legibly and double space it. This is YOUR page, why not use it?