

DESPAIR

... AS OUR HEROES FACE THE "MALIFAX HOUSING CRISIS" ...

STARRING: ULYSSES S. CAT AND STANLEY WORT

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... AT THE UNIVERSITY

WELL, GOOD LUCK STANLEY. MAKE SURE HE WRITES, ULYSSES. TAKE CARE OF YOURSELVES, NOW.

BYE DAD.

SURE SEE YOU, MAN

... AND OFF THEY GO TO RESIDENCE.

HOWE HALL HO!

... AND INTO THE LINE-UP.

SURE SOME GREAT LOOKING CHICKS HERE THIS YEAR, STANLEY, OLD BOY...

YES SIRREE! SOME CHICKS

HEY, MAN! IF THIS LINE DON'T MOVE NO FASTER, WE WONT REACH THE OFFICE TODAY.

RELAX MAN! DON'T BE SO UPTIGHT!

... AN HOUR AND A HALF LATER WHEN THEY HAVE NOT YET MOVED.

C'MON ULYSSES! LET'S SEE IF WE CAN GET AHEAD OF THESE GUYS.

HOWE HALL

HOUSING OFFICE

NOW!! A SHORT-CUT! HEAVY!

AND INSIDE

... WELL, YOU GUYS ARE NUMBERS 312 AND 313 ON OUR WAITING LISTS SO WHY DONT YOU PUT YOUR NAMES DOWN FOR WINTER '74, EH?

"KNOCK ON WOOD, I ALWAYS SAY, HEH HEH!"

HEH! HEH! WHY DONT YOU TRY OFF CAMPUS HOUSING

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CLOSED FOR TODAY OPEN AT 9:00AM ON TUESDAY

... BUT MEANWHILE

OFF CAMPUS HOUSING

JEEZ STAN, LOOK AT THIS LINE!

HOLY SHIT!

STANLEY OL' BOY, WE'LL JUST WAIT HERE IN LINE 'TIL TOMORROW MORNING WHEN WE'LL GET IN FIRST

WINK

RIGHT ON!

... AT DAWN...

JESUS! THEY STAYED!

ALL OF THEM?

... 15 MINUTES AFTER THE OFFICE OPENS

I DONT THINK THEY HAVE ANYTHING OF INTEREST FOR YOU, BOYS. ALL THAT'S LEFT IS A BOARDING HOUSE AND A BED-SITTING ROOM IN KELLIGREWS

SHIT!

HEY! LETS SEE IF COOL AID HAS A PLACE FOR US TO CRASH TONIGHT?

... THAT EVENING

HI, MIND IF WE CRASH HERE T'NITE?

COOL-AID SAYS YOU HAVE A CRASH PAD?

WELL, I'D LIKE YOU TO BUT, RIGHT NOW I'M BEING RAIDED!

... AND THE NEXT DAY

FOREST HILLS HILL VIEW AND VALLEY VIEW APARTMENTS...

WONT TAKE STUDENT'S AND THORBURN MANORS WANTS ONLY FAMILY UNITS...

GOD DAMN!

... MAYBE I SHOULD PUT AN AD IN THE PAPER FOR A WIFE

TALK ABOUT DISCRIMINATION!

SORRY, YOU'RE TOO LATE! JUST RENTED IT TO A STUDENT. OF COURSE, HE TOOK THE 5-YEAR LEASE AND GAVE ME 60 POST-DATED CHECKS FOR \$300.

FIND ANYTHING YET?

C'MON. FOUND A PLACE IN NA PAPER.

BERNICE'S BOARDING HOUSE

25'S A WEEK WITH BREAKFAST. NO WEEKENDS...

NO HIPPIES OR FROGS

WILL YOU LOOK AT THAT!

FORGIVE THEM LORD. THEY KNOW NOT WHAT THEY DO.

... 10 DAYS LATER IN A SECLUDED PORTION OF THE STUDENT UNION BUILDING...

I CANT LIVE LIKE THIS NO MORE! I THINK I'M GOING DROP OUT!

CALM DOWN MAN! THIS PROBLEM WILL BE SOLVED IN A FEW DAYS. I'M SURE THE ADMINISTRATION IS LOOKING INTO THIS.

... AT PRECISELY THAT MOMENT IN THE OFFICE OF DR. H. HICKS THE PRESIDENT OF DALHOUSIE...

... FOR SOME STRANGE UNAPPARENT REASONS, STUDENTS SEEM TO THINK THAT THE ONLY TIME FOR SLEEPING IS IN THE NIGHT.

THUS, THE BEDS IN THIS CITY ARE FULL LESS THAN FIFTY PERCENT OF THE DAY.

THE RESULTS OF OUR STUDY HAVE SHOWN THAT...

... THERE IS NO HOUSING CRISIS AT DALHOUSIE UNIVERSITY!

QUAK

THE END

BY M. MALONEY (WITH THANKS TO D. GRIFIN)