

## York Briefs,

### York Waffle To Sponsor Panel

The York Waffle is sponsoring a panel discussion on the Artistic Woodwork strike in Curtis Lecture Hall K at 12:00 p.m. today. Panelists include Mel Watkins, a Waffle economist, and union representatives.

### MONDAY Meets Sunday

MONDAY, a York student organization which runs programs for underprivileged children, needs volunteers, especially males. The group meeting at 7:30 p.m. Sunday at 153 Angus Drive, one block east of Leslie on Finch. Contact George Leibner or Irv Kleiner at 493-1534.

### YSCM Sponsors WSCF Spokesman

"Theology of Liberation" will be the topic of a discussion lunch today with Feliciano Carino, General Secretary of the World Student Christian Federation (WSCFZ), in the Founders Fellows dining room. Buy or bring your lunch and participate in the discussion from 12 noon to 2.00 p.m., sponsored by the York Student Christian Movement.

### Food For Your Thoughts

There will be a meeting to discuss the Strong Proposal for an experimental BA at 6 p.m. today in the Stong Senior Common Room (201). Sandwiches and refreshments will be served.

## Growers the cause

# Grape gatherers gripe

By DALE RITCH



"Farm workers in California have lost all the gains they won in their 1970 contract," Miguel Confreras, a member of the United Farm Workers, said in an interview Tuesday.

"Medical plans, controls over pesticide use and a union hiring hall have been lost," said Confreras. Only 6 of 280 contracts have been retained.

Because of the losses the grape boycott is being renewed across the continent. Confreras and 30 other farm workers are in Toronto to gain support for the boycott. They have received endorsements from the Ontario NDP, the Canadian Labour Congress, the Ontario Federation of Labour, the Catholic, Anglican and United Churches, and the Toronto City Council.

Confreras condemned the growers for bringing in the Teamsters Union on "sweetheart" contracts, claiming the move was an attempt to make the struggle between growers and farm workers appear as an inter-union rivalry.

He described other tactics the growers have used.

"First they smuggled in thousands of Mexicans while immigration authorities and police looked the other way. Then they obtained court injunctions limiting the number of picketers and preventing strikers from using bull horns to address scab workers in the fields."

"Over 6,000 strikers were arrested, and many spent up to 28 days in jail. Hundreds of strikers needed hospital care. Two were brutally murdered."

Confreras himself was arrested five times and spent 28 days in jail.

The boycott is gaining strength in Toronto. In addition to distributing leaflets and using human billboards, the farm workers are publicizing their cause by bringing Caesar Chavez to Massey Hall November 2 and parading downtown November 3. Stores that do not voluntarily remove California grapes will be picketed soon.

Confreras will show a film and discuss the boycott with York students today at 1 p.m. in Curtis Lecture Hall D.

## Spicy talk on Chile workers

Approximately 35 students and faculty participated in a discussion about the recent events in Chile at last Thursday's Chile Day. A resolution vowing solidarity with the Chilean people and demanding that the federal government grant asylum to political refugees was unanimously passed.

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Comfort Daiquiri, etc., etc.

