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## Eighteenth century women a dichotomy says lecturer

By JENNY JOHNSON  
 Women in the eighteenth century figured more prominently in the public sphere than they had up to that point in European history according to Dr. Ann Shteir speaking at the sixth in a series of lectures entitled, "Woman: The Past" held in Vanier College last Wednesday.

Shteir received her PhD in comparative literature specializing in the eighteenth cen-

ture. She is currently an assistant professor of Humanities in Atkinson College.

She said aristocratic women of the eighteenth century indulged in the pursuit of science with as much fervour as men and, in general, contributed greatly to the intellectual world by acting as hostesses in famous European salons. Women like Sarah Fielding and Elizabeth Inchbald were influential in the development of the

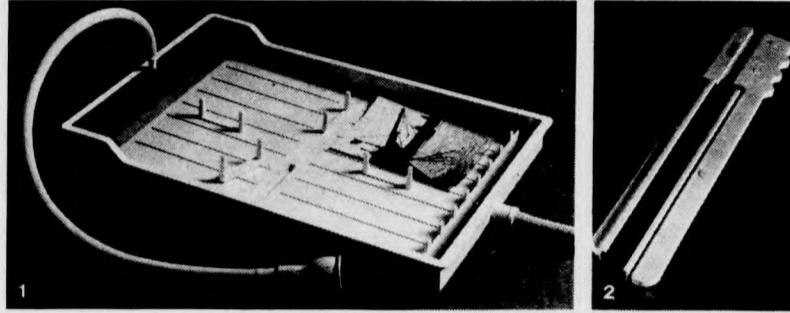
novel: a literary form that was relatively new in the eighteenth century.

But Shteir added, "What we can say about women depends upon the women we are talking about. For not all women of this time period enjoyed the same amount of public freedom. Many women continued to be subject to the conventional attitudes toward their sex that even an enlightened age such as this had been unable to entirely dismiss."

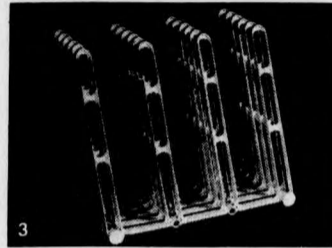
Shteir's lecture was well received by the 30 people in attendance and a brief question period was followed by a casual discussion over coffee in an adjacent common room.

The next lecture, "Canadian Women and the Past" will be November 17 at 7:45 pm in the Vanier dining hall. The speaker will be Clara Thomas, a York English professor.

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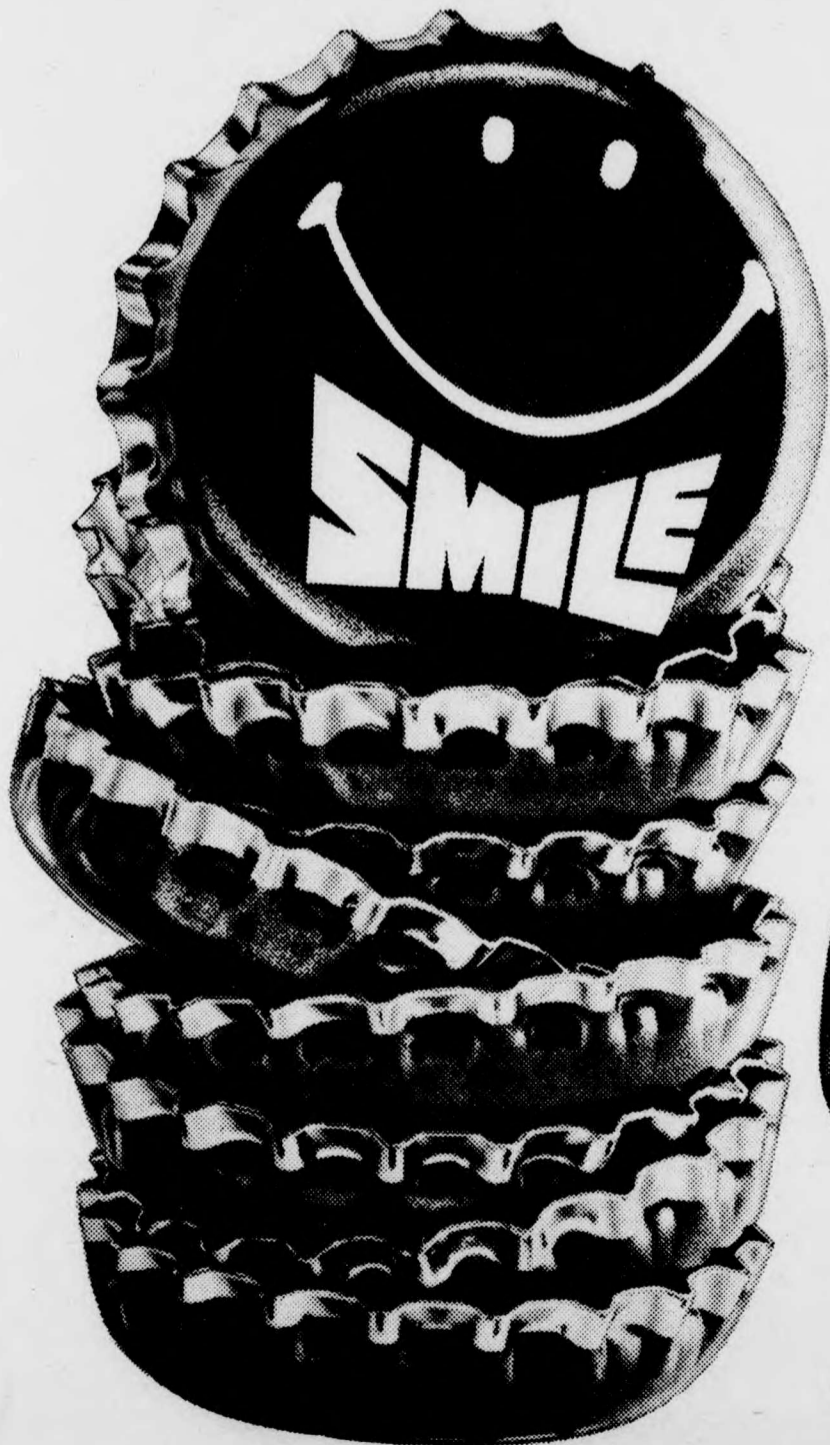
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## On Campus

- CLUBS, MEETINGS**
- Today, 2 p.m. - 4:45 p.m. - Winters Chess Club - 030A, Winters.
  - Friday, 2 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. - Winters Chess Club - 030A, Winters.
  - Sunday, 1 p.m. - 3:15 p.m. - Tennis Club - Main Gym, Tait McKenzie.
  - Monday, 1 p.m. - Akido Class - Judo Room, Tait McKenzie (also Wednesday, same time, place).
  - 7:30 p.m. - York Bridge Club - Vanier Dining Hall.
  - Tuesday, 3 p.m. - 5 p.m. - Eckankar - S122, Ross.
  - 6 p.m. - Gay Alliance at York - 227, Bethune.
  - Wednesday, 12 noon - 1 p.m. - Intermediate Yoga Class - Atkinson Common Room.
  - 1 p.m. - 2 p.m. - York Christian Women's Fellowship - Religious Centre.
  - 7 p.m. - York Christian Fellowship - Religious Centre.
  - 8 p.m. - York Motorcycle Owners Association - Common Room, 4 Assiniboine Road (first & third Wednesday of each month).

- MISCELLANEOUS**
- Friday, 6:30 p.m. - Sabbath Services (Jewish Student Federation) - Religious Centre.
  - Monday, 3 p.m. - Visual Art from the Bible - 349, Stong.
  - 12 noon - Noon Mass; each Monday, Tuesday, Friday - Religious Centre.
  - Tuesday, 9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. - Christian Counselling & Religious Consultation - call Chaplain Judd (226, Founders) call 661-7838 or 633-2158.

- SPORTS, RECREATION**
- Saturday, 8:15 p.m. - Basketball - York vs. University of Ottawa - Tait McKenzie.
  - Tuesday, 7 p.m. - Women's Basketball - York vs. University of Toronto - Tait McKenzie.
  - Wednesday, 8:15 p.m. - Basketball - York vs. University of Western Ontario - Tait McKenzie.



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