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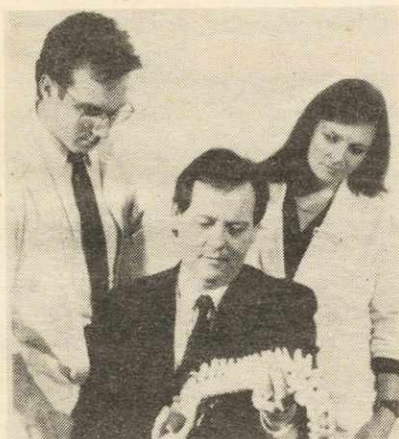
Saturday April 24th, 1993

Cost: \$5 (Lunch included)

Buses leave SUB 9:00 a.m. and return by 6:30 p.m.

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Courses Offered

by Gazetteer

A new student activist group was ratified on campus Friday, March 26. The group, named S.W.I.T.C.H. (Students Wishing Icky Things Couldn't Happen) formed to fill what it perceived was a void in the University's dealings with students.

"Well, I don't know, it's not really an activist group. We're all friends here and a confrontation like this never solved anything. I guess you could call us a passivist group," said SWITCH treasurer Libby Kinsey.

"The SWITCH board is pretty free-form right now, with no president or vice-president or executive of any kind. We thought that would be a problem when it came to being officially recognized by the Student's Union, but we were sure that we wanted to be a pure committee with every member's opinions having equal weight, so we refused to build a power hierarchy. But the Union recognized us right off. There was no problem at all," said Kinsey.

The group feels that its focus differs from other campus action groups like SWEAT or CEAG in that it tackles issues not traditionally dealt with on campus. "For instance, all this icky snow," said Kinsey. "We all felt something should be done about it so we formed a group, and bingo! It

went away. That was kind of an omen. We hope everything we take on is that easy."

The SWITCH agenda is still being finalized but the twelve-member group has big plans. "Our objectives are those of every student, basically. More bike racks on campus, less pot-holes, and something should be done about the distance between buildings. The consensus group is still

working out the geometry on that one," said Kinsey. "We're kind of under the gun here with school ending in a few weeks, but with stringent discipline we should have the current DSU administration running for cover before exams end. Then we'll put our best people in position to take on the Big Guys in the 1993-94 school year. But we'll probably start with a Spring Fling."

Hey dudes of the world...

To the editor:

We the students of King's College have grown tired of the years of oppression suffered by us at the hands of Dalhousie. The tuition hikes, the crowded classrooms, the silly Gazette articles...Enough is Enough! It is time to strike back!

We have now formed our own militant organization of freedom fighters. The King's Liberation Front (the KLF) demands nothing short of complete autonomy for our brothers & sisters at King's (and to see you heathens rot in hell). No longer will our precious tuition dollars find their way into the pockets of your faciest leader Howard Stern.

Steps are already underway to ensure our victory. We have been living among you for years; in your classes, at your parties, quietly gathering information... Now it is time to strike!

Our agents have already moved on your Dunn building. Its valuable classroom space (not to mention the nuclear reactor) will soon be ours!

Mount Saint Vincent University have proven themselves to be sympathetic to our cause! They have put at our disposal 100,000 back issues of the Picaro with which we shall burn Dalhousie to the ground! Our allies at the St. Mary's Journal stand ready for a hot air strike on the SUB at any moment as well.

Be warned! The violence will not end until our divine right to a spot on the MacLean's poll is fulfilled. To arms brothers and sisters...to arms...We have nothing to lose but our chains!

Viva la revolution!

Dr. M. Frye

Commander-in-chief KLF

The divine wrong of King's

by Brutus

Although this year's planned demolition and razing of the New Kings Library was staved off due to temporary budget constraints, incoming Dalhousie Society Against Kings (DALSAK) President Angeline Saxon says that the terrorism arm has been especially productive at getting King's students to "bug off permanently."

Saxon referred, indirectly of course, to three separate and "discrete" actions against King's students. "Well, first there was the firebombing of the Second Floor of Alex Hall. I mean we don't know who would be so brazen, but we certainly applaud their actions," says Saxon.

It is estimated that thousands of dollars of damage was done in the blaze- mostly to women's hair care products, and to unopened textbooks. Apparently, one women's entire collection of pornographic works by Horace was irreplaceably lost.

"I'm so crushed...now I'll never pass FYP and my mother will make me join the Army..." said blonde second year student Andrea Queen. "I'll have to go home a disgrace, and now the local peasantry won't look up to me as an example anymore. What will I do in Scarborough now?" Saxon felt that a few more well placed Toronto cocktails could send the lot of the "smelly bastards" scurrying home.

Saxon also mentioned the Top Secret dealings with the Horton Foundation, a militant anti-conserva-

tive organization committed to the rationalization of the King's Arts & Administration building as an unspecified fast-breakfast-food chain store.

King's Dean Marion Fry has been secretly recorded as saying "We'll have billions of doughnuts moving out of this place if I have my way God Damn It!" It is also believed that this would allow King's students a place to put all of their stuffiness and stodgery.

The third, and most devilish plan has been the replacement of actual Campus Police with extra-perverted Tory Youth members. "Now we have the sick dreams to go along with the keys to all of the rooms in Alex Hall..." one Campus Police member was actually reported saying. Saxon says that this plan is working, but that its overall effect is difficult to gauge, because the regular Campus Police didn't do much of anything either. However, it is felt that the Campus Police doppelganger plan will coalesce well with the Horton Foundation: "Outright brilliant, if I say so myself," says Saxon. "Now they'll never suspect anything different except maybe the spontaneous flashings."

There have been some setbacks for DALSAK though. Peculiarly, they haven't been able to eradicate student apathy on campus. Apparently only eight percent of the students voted in the King's Student's Society elections. Saxon felt that if more students voted, their frustration would cause them to want to leave the campus permanently. "The slovenliness quotient must be

changed to the frightened quotient so that these revolting snobs will leave forever," says Saxon.

The other setback has been in locating the office of the despised para-journalism Watch. "It so goddamn artsy and we can't do anything about it! If we knew where it was located we could torch it!" says Saxon. The Watch has been linked to student militancy and resolve to stay on campus says Saxon, and she thinks that the elimination of the only place of actual thought on campus is vital: "We may not be able to annihilate the New Library quite yet, but since students only argue incessantly about the old books instead of reading them, the demolition is really for cosmetic reasons." But to her, the destruction of the Watch is vital to any concerted effort to get King's off the planet. "As goes the Watch, so goes King's," says Saxon.

Saxon would also like to see the most disgusting, despicable plan yet be implemented. "We're gonna replace actual King's students with Upper Canadian Whacked Out Over Rich Surf Freaks who just happen to go to SMU. Thus the morality and pederasty of King's students will be forever destroyed!" A parking ban on VW campers is also in the works.

But for now Saxon can only plaintively hope and pass along her hatred of King's students: "We feel that the guttersniping bastards really shouldn't have the privilege of sharing our air- I mean, don't you think King's students smell, well, funny?"