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## ALL YORK STUDENTS TUNE-IN TO CHRY 105.5 FM (RADIO YORK) FOR ON-AIR ADVISING 12:15-12:45 PM DAILY NOVEMBER 13-17, 1989

The month of November can be a difficult month for all undergraduate students at the university. During the week of November 13-17, the Faculties of Arts, Science, Fine Arts and Glendon College will offer information on advising and other assistance offered by their Faculties. Tune in — you won't regret it!

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# Security issues three alerts women should be aware of



by Nancy Phillips

**T**hree alerts have been issued recently by York Security.

Two incidents involve violent attacks against females. An arrest has been made in the first case, a sexual assault which occurred on campus on October 24 between

6:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. The location of the attack was not available. The suspect held a knife to the female (believed to be a York student) throughout the attack, thereby stopping her from alerting any passersby.

The second attack was a robbery involving violence which took place on October 26 at 10:00 p.m. An Assiniboine resident was suddenly grabbed and pulled to the ground between two vehicles in the parking lot immediately south of the Assiniboine residences. She screamed and her attacker fled, taking her purse.

The suspect is described as male, black, 5'8", 150 lbs., slim build, in his early 20s. He was dressed in a black jacket with a hood, jeans and a baseball cap with a red peak.

In light of these two attacks, Security is warning women to protect themselves with common sense. The alert states that women, in particular, should use the escort service, especially at night. It can be reached at 736-5454. Women should also not walk alone, but travel in groups. They should also keep to lighted

pathways and stay away from secluded areas. Also, remember that emergency telephones are located at all blue lights in parking lots, residences and elevators. These phones are directly linked to Security Control.

People should also be aware that a man has been handing out notices in the Scott Library soliciting for a wife. His notice contains threatening statements, such as, "Good partner forever . . . otherwise I shoot partner forthwith." The man, whose picture accompanies this article, calls himself an IranianCanadian who is 34 years old. He is described as white, of average height, with a pronounced accent when speaking English. If you encounter this man call the Emergency Services Centre immediately at 736-5333.

*Excalibur* was not notified of the first two of these incidents until a week and a half after the alerts were printed by Security. Investigations officer Bob Stevens blamed the delay on Security's mail room and assured that from now on *Excalibur* would be notified immediately when an alert is issued.

# Men for women's choice

by Barbara Kaczor

**D**uring the summer of 1989, a new Toronto-based pro-choice group was formed called "Men for Women's Choice."

According to social science professor, Michael Kaufman, who is also the deputy director of CERLAC (Centre for Research on Latin America and the Caribbean), this group was stated in response to two now infamous, abortion cases.

Both Chantal Daigle and Barbara Dodd had injunctions preventing them from having abortions placed on them by their boyfriends. It is the belief of Men for Women's Choice that "no man can force a woman to have a baby that she does not want," says Kaufman. He also believes that "men should speak out clearly and publicly."

This Toronto-based group consists of a small core of organizers and branch groups throughout Ontario. Their main activity is to raise money for a public ad campaign.

They want to make a strong public statement, including opposing any new legislation, "because we cannot decide on a point of regulation," says Kaufman. Other activities include letter-writing (to the Prime Minister, the Minister of Justice and to the members of parliament) and participating in the National Day for Choice on October 14, 1989.

The group created a "men's" organization as a response to the boyfriends of Daigle and Dodd who made it a man's issue, says Kaufman.

"We responded by saying as men we should not be able to control a woman's body," says Kaufman. "It is an issue that belongs and affects all of us and our relationships."

Men for Women's Choice recently advertised in the York University Faculty Association newsletter. The advertisement states:

- No man should be able to force a woman to bear a child against her will.
- Like an ever growing number of men, we do not think that men should control women.

- Men should have an equal say and responsibility in a decision to parent. But ultimately, if there is a dispute, the decision to end a pregnancy must be a woman's choice — because it is her body.

- No husband, no boyfriend, no judge, no doctor, no politician should control a woman's body. Ever.

- The personal decision of a woman should not be criminalized or stigmatized. Abortion should be kept out of the Criminal Code.

- The government should support women's reproductive freedom by using the *Canada Health Act* to ensure full, and equal access to abortion in every province and territory.

- As well, more and better sex education and birth control information and services must be provided.

Men for Women's Choice is now planning a new national ad campaign. A statement will be published in the national edition of *The Globe and Mail*.

# hey you, c'mere

by Howard Kaman  
and Jennifer Crane

1. Do you think that students should be able to use scrip in the new Student Centre's eateries?
2. What is your favourite Marriott dish?



Jacqui Prospero, Phys. Ed. 1

1. [Only] if you could pay for 50 percent of your meal [with scrip]. The cafeterias here are stupendous.
2. Oh, I don't know. I really couldn't say.



Theresa Vaz, English 3

1. No. [The Student Centre's restaurants] should be for commuters.
2. I don't think there is one.



Al Kirk, History 3

1. It would certainly be more convenient. But the whole idea of scrip is to encourage students to buy nutritious meals instead of junk.
2. The credit card sized steak.