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which are of immense interest to the West." However, he feels that it is a mistake to claim Clark as a Western interest because, despite his view of federalism, he is "essentially a simple Canadian from High River."

Continued Engleman." Ithink it's important that a women has an important position (in parliament). I think Flora Macdonald will be a very concerned Minister of Employment."

When asked whether the government is planning to implement a new defence policy. Stevenson affirmed that he thinks "there will be considerable increase in military spending because I see it as some degree of solving some economic problems."

Professor Engleman agreed, suggesting that the possibility of doubling NATO contingents will reward Canada with "brownie points all over Europe."

With respect to the future of the Liberal Party of Canada, Stevenson stressed that it is "rather bleak."

"Mulroney has shown that he's in charge of the situation. I think the Liberals lost national unity with the Conservative victory in Quebec." Stevenson added, "I find it very difficult to see any role of the Liberal party, and I think that the NDP will give the Liberals a run for the money (to form the official

## opposition party)."

Professor Stevenson concluded, "Things could get worse, so I'll wait and see what happens."

The PSUA will be having electons next Friday, so no forum scheduled.

## J of A student wins

## by Marie Clifford

Second year University of Alberta psychology student Gillian Moody became the first Miss Black Alberta in seven years this month.

"I think the pageant went real!y well," said Moody. "Hopefully, it will be bigger next year."

Moody triumphed over 13 other contestants in the bathing suit and evening gown competitions to advance to the semi-finals. She then won the talent competition and eventually went on to capture the crown.

Though at present a national pageant for Miss Black Canada does not exist, Moody believes such a paeant could be co-ordinated as early as next year. When asked why a pageant was set up especially for black Alberta women, Moody replied: "You have a better chance (to win) than in the Miss Edmonton contest. Hopefully, the publicity will open people's eyes."

The new Miss Black Alberta is pleased with the pageant over all and hopes that the speech she gave at the pageant on the importance of knowledge "rubbed off on someone."

Moody plans to continue with her studies at the U of A and is currently pushing for a scholarship to be made available as one of the prizes in the future Miss Black Alberta pageants.

