Vice President Academic Responds

The following is a statement

conclusion is totally incorrect.

Staffing provided attempts to Equivalent Teachers. Limits on Arts' Enrollment ' that Faculty of Arts teaches about a staff for each of our Faculties in included in these figures unless teaching activity. appeared in the November 24, third of all the undergraduate teaching on the campus measured in terms of Full-time Equivalent The table and accompanying students taught in its various comments are, apparently, courses. Thus a ratio of the intended to show that since in number of students registered in 1988-89 there was a certain the B.A degree program to the number of students registered in number of faculty members in B.A. programs and a certain the Faculty of Arts does not give number of Full-time Equivalent a meaningful indication of the Faculty members in that teaching responsibilities of the Faculty, the Faculty of Arts has a Faculty. If a ratio is to be used it favoured position in the should be the ratio of Full-time University insofar as the teaching Equivalent students taught in resources provided to it. Such a courses offered by the Faculty to the number of Full-time

1988-89. The "weighted" figures separately identified laboratory from R.E. Burridge, Vice accommodate the teaching and To assist in putting the matter accommodate graduate instruction courses are offered so that the President (Academic) concerning research activities in Departments in a more realistic context, Table as well and are considered the ratios for laboratory-based the Brunswickan's Publication of and Faculties. As far as teaching 1 shows the ratios of FTE more meaningful figures. disciplines (Engineering, a table with the article 'New responsibilities are concerned, the students taught to FTE Teaching Laboratory teaching is not Forestry, Science) understate

Table 1

FTE Students per FTE Teaching Staff, Fredericton Campus 1988 - 89

Facility	FTE Students	Weighted FTE Students	FTE Teaching Staff	FTE Students per FTE Teaching Staff	Weighted FTE Students per FTE Teaching Staff
Admin.	629.2	711.2	31.7	19.8	22.4
Arts	2111.5	2449.8	142.5	14.8	17.2
Education	569.0	897.0	52.3	10.9	17.1
Eng.	1019.4	1524.7	92.5	11.0	16.5
Forestry	119.9	294.2	27.0	7.4	10.9
Law	241.6	241.6	16.5	14.6	14.6
Nursing	151.9	151.9	23.0	6.6	6.6
Phys. Ed	146.2	165.6	13.3	11.0	12.5
Science	1221.5	1484.8	109.2	11.2	13.6
Fredericto	6292.8	7923.3	508.1	12.4	15.6

Source:

Trend Statistics Fredericton Campus, 1976-1988, Vols. I & II Compiled by the Office of the Vice-President (Academic), Oct. 1989.

It must be noted that such ratios are simply indicators. The needs of a Department or Faculty and support staff manpower depend upon such factors as teaching pattterns, research activity and discipline coverage as well as the number of students taught

Food Appeal

News Release

Ruth Kavannaugh, Program been very generous. Manager of Helpline Inc; Mary This year the program is local businesses, groups and has grown. individuals to help those less Any support that can be to have a better Christmas than appreciated.

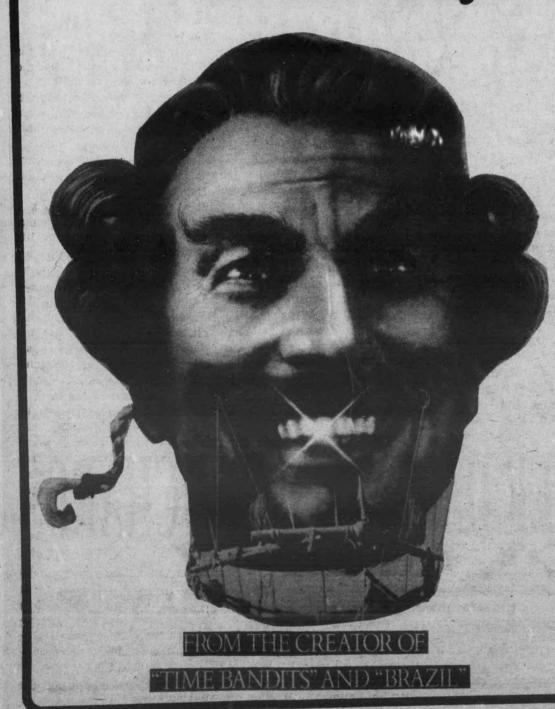
Hamper Program was able to Oromocto or phone: 357-9494. provide 79 families with food

hampers. They claim that local response for the program has

Greenham and Dot Evans, Food supporting over 100 families in Bank Co-ordinator are again the Oromocto area. It appears making an appeal this year to that the need for such a program

fortunate individuals in the area provided will be greatly For more information contact the Helpline Last Christmas the Christmas Office at 68 Iroquois Ave.,

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