Dean wants aid improved, Osgoode students need help

By G. HUGH EMPEY

Harry Arthurs, Dean of the Osgoode Hall Law School has proposed to the Ministry of Colleges and Universities (MCU) that additional funding and alteration of **Ontario Student Awards Program** (OSAP) criteria be provided for disadvantaged Osgoode law students.

For the past three years Dean Arthurs has been working on a programme to increase the groups who are disadvantaged by language and culture in Osgoode Hall

At present admission criteria has been changed to take into account personal situation, thereby opening the doors of the school to persons who otherwise might not apply. Arthurs feels this open door policy has overcome the problem of academic qualifications such as a family, attending law school is not at all feasable, said Arthurs.

representation of various ethnic Arthurs said his proposal "is to alter the present OSAP criteria which cuts assistance to those who are entering law school after having been a member of the work force.

> The figure of the OSAP assistance is \$3,000, A combination of grant and loan with a tentative figure of \$2,000 in loan. Further assistance will come from the law school and the government with a figure of \$5,500.'

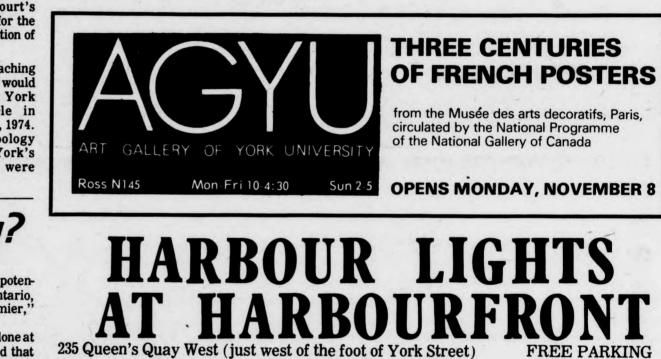
> As a result of discussions with the **Ontario Federation of Students** (OFS) regarding his proposal, Arthurs has received full support of the federation according to Murray Miskin, chairperson of OES and, an Osgoode student.

> In the spring of this year Arthurs took his proposal to the MCU and minister Harry Parrot in particular. Carol Vaughn, administrative assistant to Parrot, said, "the proposal is in the hands of the minister and he personally will be reviewing it."

Arthurs hopes that if his proposal is accepted other law and professional schools will follow suit.

The present OSAP loan ceiling for law students is \$1,090, an increase of \$190 from last year.

Osgoode Dean Harry Arthurs wants financial aid for disadvantaged students.



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Unless they find other teaching jobs they will not be able to retire with full pension. The result may be that these teachers will turn to high school teaching positions; an undesirable prospect in their last few years of teaching considering their senior teaching status.

Bill Condlin, spokesman for the Lakeshore teachers, "The university professes to teach humanity and brotherhood and then turns around and does the very opposite to what they preach."

Some of the teachers doubt York ever considered to grant them tenure. In his statement in the judgement of the case Justice Samuel Grange expresses similar misgivings, "The decision of the university was a general one and required the denial of tenure to all former members of the college regardless of merit. The whole project was an experiment and just such an eventuality might well have been in the minds of the parties when the agreement was executed." Bill Farr, vice-president of

employee and student relations at York says, "The university, acting in good faith, did all that it believed itself to be required to do under the terms of the agreement of the ministry of education. We believe we went beyond what we were required to do by assisting people to find alternate employment. The Divisional Court has decreed that we have acted properly. Personally I take no great pleasure in the fact that the people didn't get appointed at York. The Divisional Court's decision was not a victory for the university but it is a vindication of the way in which we acted."

Initially the Lakeshore teaching staff were informed that they would no longer be employed by York University by an article in Excalibur on February 28, 1974. They later received an apology from Robert Overing, York's education dean, that they were informed in this manner.

Davis backtracking?

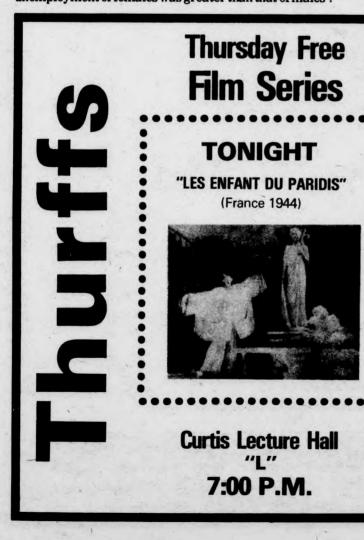
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The extra \$175 might be passed on to the parents, and this could potentially effect over 300,000 adults. This, spread out over 20 centres in Ontario, would mean that in a lot of ridings voters would oppose the premier," Warner said.

The myth of universal accessibility has been destroyed in a study done at Carlton, Warner said. This study of summer employment showed that while some 36 per cent of the Canadian population earns less than \$11,000 per annum, only 14 per cent of the students at Carlton had parents who earned less than \$10,000 a year. The study also showed that children of parents with higher incomes had less difficulty finding jobs, and that unemployment of females was greater than that of males'.

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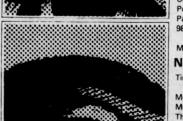
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