## EXCALDDES

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## Bevilacqua is victorious but Pearlman challenges <br> Michael Monastyrskyj

Maurizio Bevilacqua was elected President of the Councll of the York Student Federation last Thursday, but the election has been appealed by his nearest rival, Mark Peariman.
Peariman would not comment on his decision but Bevilacqua who recelved 351 votes to Peariman's 308, stated, "I think the appeal deals with the section of the Election By-Law covering overspending." CYSF candidates may not spend over 8300.00 in a campaign. He added, Im not against Mark Pearlman but I don't belight to appeal, but justified " Beve his charges are justned. Bevilacqua is also disturbed that he has not been notified of what charges Pearlman is making.
Tony Finn, the CYSF Business Manager and the Chief Returning Officer, has announwill theet Election Tribunal consider the issue but 31 to consider the issue, but further Should the Tribunal required. ncludes Speaker Tye Burt and Secretary of Coune Burt and Sievwright, decide in Pearlman's favour Pearlman could benamed President. "Some situations call for the winning candidate to be disqualified and the to be place finisher could aseume the position," said FYnn. "We could also recommend the we could election be called."

Fearing the possibility of Pearimanbeing possibility of presidential candidate Michael Hymas has also appealed to the Tribunal. The petition, signed by Bevilacqua, presidential candidate Peter Hobbes and three candidates for Internal Affairs, states that a York Fund advertisement in Excalibur should be included as part of Pearlman's expenses. The two page announcement cost approximately $\$ 1200$.


Newly elected Judith Santos.

Hymas, who believes that Finn's role as both CRO and Finn's role as both CRO and
CYSF Business Manager CYSF Business Manager represents a conflict of interest. said, "I am very sceptical I'll get a fair hearing."
Other election victortes are not being challenged. Pamela Fruitman received 559 votes and representative on new student representatue on the Board o Dario Grittl Her nearest rival, 204 voters. Frus supported by "Among myfirst priorities will be Among my first priorities will be pushing through the food services report and fighting the
discretionary tuition increase." John Chang organizer of the Juccessful food, organizer of the Bipin lakhant to defeated position of Director of Internal Affairs. Chang received 343 votes to Lakhan's 243 . 343 and Michael Strah were the other candidates.
Judith Santos was supported by 422 voters in her successful bld to become Director of Women's Affairs. The sole challenger, Frank Adriano, had 362 ballots in her favour. Santos, who is planning a week to discuss women's issues in October is currently consulting organizations such as the York Women's Centre, the Student Christian Movement and the Handicap Centre. I want to get wide understanding." said Santos.

## Ministry investigation points to safety problems at Farquharson

Ian Bailey and Mike Guy
Workers' complaints of potentially harmful working conditions at Farquharson Life Sclences Building have been supported by the Ontario Ministry of Labour, but improvements to the building will depend on a 8500,000 grant from the Ministry of Colleges and Universities.

Donald Dawson, Manager of Physical Plant states that the University already has $\$ 90,000$ and that Farquharson will be upgraded as soon as possible. Dawson also stated that he had petitioned for the funds before the Ministry made its investigation. Professor Joe Motsch, who has worked in the Farqhuarson Building for 14 years disagreed. "If the Health Ministry had not waved said.

Early in 1981, inspectors from the Ministry of Labour found 1,258 safety violations in corqected. Motsch. himself, named 90 have been corrected. Motsch, himself, named specific Inadequacies such as "a lack of appropriate
ventilation, improper number of fume hoods and ventilation, improper number of fume hoods and
storage cabinets", factors which he feels has storage cabinets", factors which he feels has resulted in the dispersal of fumes produced by organic experiments.
Motsch also cited an incident that occurred two years ago when nitrous oxdde was released in the upper levels of the building. Farquharson was evacuated and after the gas had dispersed the workers returned. But the gas had simply settled in the building's lower levels and several hours later the basement had to be evacuated.
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## Another Osgoode student attacked

## PJ Todd

Another York student is reported to have been attacked on the Keele campus and her that may be the same man that assaulted an Osgoode student at gunpoint three weeks ago.
The female Osgoode Hall law student, a resident of the dence on Assiniboine Road was grabbed from behind as whe
waiked along the first floor of the apartment building at approxreach 8 p.m. "She saw the man each into his coat pocket and she believed he was armed," said Andra Takacs, Co-ordinator of
the Osgoode Hall Women's Caucus. "He did not, however, produce a gun." The woman managed to slip from her attacker's grasp and fled phsically unharmed. York

Security and P.C. Bye of 31 Division are currently investigating.

In both cases the attacker was reported to be a white male wearing blue jeans and a dark blue ski jacket. The age of the irst assailant is estimated to be 20, that of the second, 18. The second man's height is
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David Steinberg entertained a near capacity audience at Burton Auditorium earlier this week as comedy came to York.

## Steinberg stale

## Comedian pleases uninitiated but wears out his faithful fans

Gary Cohen
There's an old showbusiness joke which best sums up Davld Steinberg's Tuesday night concerts at Burton Auditorium:
William Shakespeare walks into a publisher's office looking for work. The publisher asks, Have you got any experience or credits? Chd Shakespeare says. Lear Hamlet The Mer King of Ventce , The Merchant which the and Othello.' To Yeah the publisher replies, you done lately? what have you done lately?
capacity those in Steinberg's capacity audience who ve comic's the Winnepeg-born shows were an Tuesday's hash of his best mang reOnly about five minutes of the hour-long first show of the hour-and first show and show consisted of fresh

## material. Tapping his second

 favorite topic - by far, sex is his biggest source of inspiration - Steinberg harpooned several political whales, Ronald Reagan, Gerald Ford and Richard Allen among them, with incisiveness and humour. The brief burst of new energy provided some funny material, while breaking the predictability of an otherwise stale, nostalgia-ridden performance. And, for Steinberg that it reinforced the notion that behind the slick, boyish manner there still lurks a very funny man.For the most part, though, professionalism, tims sense of stage presence that and the show. Despite the sophisticated dite the Ereasted, blue velvet suit and
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## NEWS

## Assasinated for teaching

Cathy Moffat
"In El Salvador if you are a student, teacher or professor, you are blacklisted as an enemy
of the government, and stand a good chance of getting killed by the military," sald Salvadorian guerilla representative Ana Castillo in an interview with Excalibur.

In the past two years more than 2,000 teachers have been assassinated by the Government Military, and only for being teachers," asserted Castillo. The National University of $E$ Salvador has been closed four times and in June 1980, the military launched a majorattack against it. "It was as if they were going into armed combat, complete with armoured tank, helicopters and machine guns. But none of the students were armed," laments Castillo. "The military must have been 600 1,000 strong. They left 27 students and local residents dead:- The government claimed they were searching for armaments but, according to Castillo, they found none.

After the attack soldiers vandalized the campus. "Books were burned, chemical and medical laboratories were destroyed, and machines like typewriters were taken by the army back to their private homes." The university was closed and professors who tried to teach underground repressed
Castillo also pointed out that university officials arrested by the military were referred to as captured guerillas in the international press." But that was not true," she said laughingly. "They were only academics doing their job."
Castillo, who has been in Canada since June of 1980 reflected, "I didn't want to leave El Salvador, but I was asked by the FDR to come to Canada and inform Canadians about the plight of our people in their struggle for justice." Before leaving El Salvador Castillo was a sociology student at the National University in San Salvador. She began working for the Democratic Revolutionary Front in 1978.

Castillo feels the military repression has politicized Salvadorean students. She stated, "Armed University police were constantly harassing the students by beating and injuring them." She added tha the University did not reques the police presence, rather the military police "forced their way onto the premises."
Castillo thinks that Canadian students lack politica awareness in comparison to her fellow students in El Salvador She does, however, see hope in the efforts that are being made by students through solidarity and support committees for the people of her country Encouraging students to become informed about El Salvador, she urged them to attend the events being planned at York and in Toronto for Canada's National Week of Solidarity with El Salvador March 20-27. She also stressed the need to pressure th Canadian government to support self-determination of the Salvadorean people

## Student attacked

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estimated at 6 feet and he is reported to have blue eyes. The Osgoode Women's Caucu has been distributing poster with descriptions of the attacker(s) and they ar encouraging increased student awareness.
Residents of the graduate apartment where the lates attack occurred are concerned about their safety, but are unwilling to identify themselves to Excalibur for fear o administrative repercussions. On the night of the attack two locks on entrance doors were broken. The side door lock had been broken for at least one week, but it was repaired immediately after the attack the next morning. The garbage door is still broken and has been for about three years. Physical Plant is responsible for repairs but we do not seem to get them. The superintendent of the building in question was not available for comment.
The question of security in the Graduate Residences is a puzzling one. According to York Security Supervisor Geoff MacLeod, "the internal security of the apartment buildings are the responsibilty of the superintendants. We don't even have keys." Norman Crandles Manager of Housing, agreed with this information. "As far as I know there are no spectal patrols for the buildings. There is a full-time superintendent. Talk to the Sentor Superintendent. Harry Halg.
But when Mr. Haig, who oversees all four graduate residences, was contacted he sald York Security and not the Superintendent was providing internal security for his bulldings. Excallbur contacted Mr. Halg the following day for further comment regarding securty procedures in the bullding, but he refused to nswer questons. Idont know. dont know. Just call Housing nd you Ijust don't know"

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## EDITORIAL

## It's time we demanded first class sports and entertainment

It happened again. The much touted York Yeomen basketball team travelled to the Canadian championships and lost in the first round.
Could it be that the Yeomen are using the National Championships as vacations? Are they leaving their competitive fire on their hom courts? The Yeomen, as usual have complled an outstanding record in their Ontario Divisions over the last few years, but the record means nothing when it all comes down to one big playoff game.
Are the players that we send ill prepared for the National Championships? While we've done well in Ontario, our National record pales in comparis
University. Universi
Victoria has won Canadian three consecutive years. They for thee consecutive years. They are university basketball They are financially supported by the provincial government and can therefore afford to offer 31,000 scholarships to member of their teams.
Beside financial support members of a Victoria team enjoy the knowledge that their school is a winning one. At this year's national competition Victoria sent five nationallyranked teams, and came back with five winners. In contrast, York sent eight and returned with one men's gymnastics winner.
Victoria's teams don't have much on their York counterparts. We ve got the coaching and the players, but we're missing the essential element. We need to convey to our athletes that we miss having winning
eams and feel they may be falling into a Cinderella syndrome that may be hard to shake later; dressed in glass slippers, we consistently straggle home in our sweat socks.
The athletic departments of Nobby Wirkowski and Mar Lyons seem to personify an attitude that winning is not an essential commodity. Perhap they feel that an Ontario Championship is enough.


MEN-I THINK IVE FOUND
OR PRORIEM
The last-minute losing syndrome will continue until both York Physical Education programs work together to solve Victoria, the men's and wom as athletic chairpand women's together as one competitive spirt and their sophy is picked and philocoaches, who pass it along the players. The net result is winning tradition - something we at York have as yet been unable to achieve.

This week's David Steinber television concert in Burton

Auditorlum appeared to be great success and the York Student Fund must be commended for its handling of ticket promotion and sales on such short notice.
Unfortunately, the same cannot be said of the University The administration basically gave away thousands o potentia Yo were not charged rent people use of Burton. Although wer thei expect the University to wen production compantes harge equivalent to Massey Hall we do expect some fair renumeration The University is dealing with a profit-making organization (Global) and they must deal with them in a business-like manner Global was recording both for themselves and American Pay TV. This is a multi-million dollar business and there is no reason that York shouldn't cash in on some of the entertainment dollars. After all, The York Fund was created to ralse money. Pay TV is coming to Canada and this is an opportunity for York to open Burton year 'round or some classy entertainment. while allowing private industry to provide the funding.
The Board of Governors should consider appointing a full-time qualified manager for the purpose of coordinating Burton's bookings with outside agencles such as Canadian and American Pay TV.
If York's athletic department and those responsible for promoting Burton bookings wouid examine themselves with an eye to becoming 'winners', w boulh see an improvement in both our teams and in Burton entertainment

## GODGALUNGA

MRS. JONES GAVE NO FIGHT, TO EAT HER WAS NOT RIGHT.


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## LETTERS

## NAUSEATING REVIEW

Gary Cohen's review of Carole Pope and Rough Trade wa nauseating 111 admit I'm not a fan of their music, but after reading Cohen's frenzied histrionic account of the concert, any equivocal feelings I had about the band were happll shaken off.

I cannot understand why people at the concert were ready to 'sweat or die' with Miss Pope when she sings such meaningfu tunes as 'High Schoo Confidential' and 'For Those Who Think Young'. Perhaps a ltttle sweating is allowed, but dying? High school was fun, yes but I think you're getting carried away.
I do agree with Cohen's heraiding the band's profession ailsm. Indeed, Miss Pope knows her market - high school kids buy most of their records accordingly, they sing ditties about high school and being young. One utterly tasteless number I've inadvertently heard is entitled 'Furor about the Fuehrer. I find it quite night revel in this muck.
Apart from the subject
Cohen's review, his prose is revolting. As I've never heard one before. I don't exactly know what an "artesian well of a voice" is. have a vague idea of the metaphor Cohen is sweatily clutching to, but I don't think that that one is an accurate description either. I would also ike to have seen the band when it 'melted together.' Is that a new video effect? Other pollendusted metaphors are too embarrassing to note.
One run-through of 'High school Confidential should, I hink, have satiated the youngsters; but no says Cohen, a second playing gave the band their commercial stamp of approval.' Yuck.

Phil Jenkins
4th Year English

## BELLINI AND KING REPLY

RE: "Bad Taste" by Profs. Lumsden and Cunningham, March 11 issue.

That you assume Googalunga is a Third World character is interesting indeed. Let us assure you that it was never our intention to offend anyone
Googalunga began as innocuous doodle penned by Bellini's four-year-old sister. His addition of eyes and teeth resulted in Googalunga, Space Monster. The drawing was soon discarded. Thirteen years later, Bellini remembered the drawing and showed it to King, who wanted to revive Googalunga for a comic strip. King decided that he have a family, that they be cannibals, and that they pursue a family in their own neighbourhood. The comedy would arise from this situation It is much like Sylvester the cat pursuing Tweetie Bird, so that he may devour Tweetie.
Now, however sincerely we
accept your complaint, we feel compelled to continue the series until its end. But your most serious change was not in calling our work "racist." but in accusing us of That means that we aren't doing our job as cartoonists. Our integrity stems from the originality of our characters. Maybe next time, hell still be cannibal but we'll put him in a suit and have him teach at a university.

Bellini \& King

## GOOGALUNGA REPLIES

There was a letter in last week's issue from D. Paul Lumsden Assoclate Professor of Anthro pology and Grifflths Cunningham the Master of Bethune Coliege. It states that the cartoon GOOGALUNGA was a seriou lapse in good taste and judgement, and it demeans usas a University."
These people have hurt my feelings. I sort of cried when read this letter, realizing that even an ugly but charming little cartoon character like mysel must come under attack. Isn there enough ranting at York already?
I must know why they assumed that I am a "Third World" cartoon character Actually, I am a monster. The cartoon strip is not set in a Third World or any other nation. Would the human characters of the strip have such a lovely suburban home in a Third World nation?
I should eat both of them.
Googalunga

## RIDPATH LACKING MORALITY

 Re: Collectivism and Individu alism Debate between Professo Simmons and Professor Ridpath respectively. Ripath repeatedly stressed the immorality of taxes. Yet, he receives his paycheck rom an institution subsidized by these same 'immoral' taxes. How sincere can he be? The majority of students applauded his moral, taxless soclety. I hope this conviction holds up when the government increasingly cuts back on low interest loans and grants to education in the customary fashion as of late. Ridpath and his supporters would be rudely awakened if there were no taxes to subsidize their presence at York. Only the rich could afford to be here.Students were curiously silent when Ridpath kept to his principles and answered that in his moral, individualistic society f people were not willing to help wo thousand earthquake victims out of rubble, the two thousand people would die. There may be principle there. but where is the morality in a oclety that would allow the possibility of inhumanity to man?
Will Ridpath and his supporters always be the ones the earthquake missed? Maybe Ridpath and his objectivist

followers can afford the society of followers can afford the society of
their dreams, but doorways tend to be overcrowded during earthquakes, Or maybe theyll end up like Ayn Rand lonely and kowtowing to the rand, lonely and until the day she died A time comes when one must admit that no man is an island.

Lorna J. McRae
NOT A COMPETITION
Re: Selfishness vs. Egalitarlanism. Thursday, March 11 , 1982.

Much work went into the planning of the debate held on March 10, 1982, between Political Science Professor Harvey Simmon and Economics Professor John Ridpath on the issue of Collectivism us. Individualism. The Role of Government and so we were certainly pleased to see coverag of the event by Excalibur.
However, the debate was in no way designed to resolve an issue in the traditional manner with a formal vote taken at the outset before hearing arguments, and again at the end. The purpose
was, rather, to provide a thought-provoking forum for students by presenting them with discussion on two differing points of view.
In outlining some basic ground rules, the moderator of purpose Kon clearly stated this purpose. Keeping this in mind, it should have been evident that to would be a winner or a loser would be inappropriate and any declaration of such is the personal impression of your reporter as no opportunity to nake relative comparisons (by applause or any other measure) form provied. Indeed, no vote It follows from the recorded purpose that the focus of the discussion be on of the philosophical beliefs Profeseor Simmons takes the philo sophical stance that man has a moral responsibility for the wellbeing of his fellow man and that his responsibility is best discharged through the mechanism of government coordination and regulationProfessor Pidpath on the other hand, believes man has a moral responsibility for his own wellbeing and as a free individual has the right to live his life without rovernment ins life witho
ence.
These are complex questions and we would hope, as the organizers of the debate, that students would be inspired to think about such broader issues rather than the more trivial (if omewhat irrelevant) issue of who came out ahead
endy Alger
Economics Studecretary

DONT STAND BY
With elections scheduled soon for El Salvador, it is perhaps pertinent to give some thought o another election held not long ago in another Latin American country.
In November, 1980, the military-dominated government of Uruguay allowed the people to Uruguay allowed the people to vote in a constitutional most $60 \%$ against the miltary most $60 \%$ agalnst the military germe - an outcome unpre editted in Latin American military dictatorships. In spite of his overwhelming display of overnment has continued its overnment has continued its revious tactics.
Uruguay continues to have human
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SOCIALIST LECTURE
Nigel Harris, an internationally known economist and leading member of the British Socialist Workers' Party, will be speaking at York on "Underdevelopment and Revolution" this Thursday, March 25 , from 3 to 5 p.m.

EL SALVADOR, ANOTHER VIET NAM
This award winning documentary film will be shown on Thursday, March 25, at 12 noon in Ross S213. The film examines the striking similarities between he U.S. Involvement in Viet Nam, and the current increasing U.S. militry ald that is being irected to the small central American country of El Saivador. For more information contact Religious Centre, 667-3171 the last film of the series will be A Tume to Rise which looks at the conditions and stuggles of conditions and stuggles of British Columbia

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## WOMENS CENTRE

Steering committee meets on March 30. General membership welcome. 11 a.m. in Women's Centre.

## WOMEN'S CENTRE JOB

Interested applicants for positions of co-ordinators of York Women's Centre must submit applications to the Centre before March 30.

## GLASS MOUNTAIN

A Norwegian folk tale by Tor Age Bringsvaerd's will be presented Tues., March 30 until Thurs. Aprll 1, 8 p.m. Mac Hall. Free admission.
REEL AND SCREEN
This Saturday, March 27, the Reel and Screen presents its econd annual Reel Free Screen, a night of thre free feature films, horts, 3 stooges and more. Quadrophenia is first at 7:30. will be shown at 9:45 and North by Northwest (Alfred Hitchcock) y Northwest (Alred Hithcock) at 11:30. Curtis FREE!
MUSIC FEST
Thursday, March 25, 4:30 p.m. The Bethune College Act of reation series will close with a programme featuring York novelists reading from their own novels and discussing work in progress, in the Bethune Art Gallery.
LOST AND FOUND
Found: calculator by Atkinson elephones at one o'clock. Wednesday, March 24. For recovery call 698-0798.

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## SCHEDULE

Thurs. Mar 25: 4-6 p.m., German expressionism in SCR, 6-9 p.m. Sllent German expressionism with live plano accompaniment n the Open End. 9-11 p.m. Dance in Vanier JCR, and more German expressionism in SCR.
Fri.. Mar 26: 2-4 p.m. To Have \& Have Not, 4-6 p.m. Touch of Evil. 7-9 p.m. On the Waterfront 9-11 p.m. Union Ctty 11:30 p.m preview from Saturday program. Sat. Mar 27
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## Telidon: Steacie signs on for the medium of future

## Jessie-May Rowntree

In 1870, it was the telephone; in 1930, the television, and now... Telidon. With a slight stretch of your imagination these combined communicators will ummon your grocerles, arrange your finances, conjure your specified vacation plans and "gently" wake you up in the morning.

Telidon, designed by the Canadian Department of Communications, is an easy-to use graphics communications system which features the transmission of text and high quality images directly to th television set. The viewer wil have immediate access to a mas computers by btored in schools, governments, universities and anywhere els computer memory is accesible.

The Telidon system has two basic forms: videotex and teletex Videotex is an interactive systex. in which the interactive system in which the viewer uses a information for display on a modified television screen Using a calculator-type "key pad" or a "keyboard" similar to typewriter, the viewer to retrieve information from remote computer data from Telidon's teletext is the the broadcast mode in which Hewers receive text and graphics on an ordinary television receiver using a Telidon decoder. The decoderenables the TV set to receive hundreds of pages of information broadcast


Telidon graphic display of a common grasshopper. in the unused lines of regular television signals. Information of general interest is updated and rebroadcast every few minutes. while special interest programs Information update
can be scheduled to arrive at specific periods. Again, using the keypad, viewers can choose the features they wish to display on the TV screen.
Here at York, the Department of Academic Computing is participating in the TVOntario the York project is to purpose 0

Telidon system as a medium for disseminating information on courses offered at York.
To make it interesting, the Telidon system must provide useful information to the viewer," explains David Ward of the Department of Academic Computing. "We are concentrating our efforts on preparing written information rather than becoming involved in timeconsuming graphics prepar ation.'
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## Laser research conducted at York

Anderson Lookin
In the public's mind, any evices, from the pocket lashlight to the science-fiction annons aboard Hollywood pace ships, can be classified as laser. All have the ability to produce visible radiation. The ndustry as a machine used in ndustry as a machine tool, drill presses, specialized lathes and ven as a material welder
Dr. W. Duley and his graduate students, In Physics Department of York are attempting to find more applications for the laser in collaboration with industry. According to Dr. Duley, the carbon dioxide laser is the most commonly used industrial laser because it is one of the most powerful. These lasers are available with powers up to 5,000 watts, although most industrial laser machining operations do not normally require lasers stronger than 1,000 watts. These are the one most commonly studied for th material processing industry. the first high power and oneo the first high power lasers in Canada, was built by Dr. Neil Gonsaives in 1969, when he was a graduate student in Physics Duley. The laser is a 300 wat carbon dioxide, capable of producing an infrared beam with a diameter of about 1 centimeter. When this beam is focussed on a spot, temperatures in excess of $1,000^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. can be produced. However, when this instrument was built, laser technology was not as advanced as it is today. Gonsalves' laser has a 7.57 m . glass tube where the excitation of the carbon


Dr. Walt Duley, working with a powerful carbon dioxide laser.
dioxide takes place. Its obsolescence is obvious when one witnesses the evolution of devices that are one-quarter of the length, yet capable of generating equal or greater power. Nevertheless, it was quite a novelty in its time, and studies performed with this laser provided much of the basic information for today's lasers. The basic mechanics behind the laser are surprisingly simple. The gases carbon dioxide.
nitrogen and hellum are pumped into the tube, then the electric current is switched on. The flow of electrons causes the carbon dioxide molecules to vibrate and release energy in the form of an infrared beam (heat energy). The vibrations are much too fast for the human eye to detect. This beam is then focussed through the ls then the desired surface. To change
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## Scientific creationism: shaking Darwin down

"Scientific Creationism" was knocked about by several
speakers at the recent Vanierspeakers at the recent VanierWinters Science Symposium. "In the Beginning... A Darwin Centenary Symposium" on March 10-11.
Dr. Michael Ruse of the Department of Philosophy at University of Guelph opened with a historical sketch of Charies Darwin (1809-82), the person credited with discovering the process of evolution by natural selection. The sym posium was held to honour the centennial of his death, occuring his Apri
Responding to a question rom the audience, Ruse spoke about his experience as a in Little Re creationism trial past winter The Arkansas this past winter. The state legislature Arkansas had passed a bill which said equal time should be devoted to teaching ideas of "scientific creationism" along theories in sch evolutionary heories in schools.

## Creation challenged

Scientific creationism seeks to find scientific evidence for the act of creation as described in Genesis, i.e. sudden creation of the universe from nothing, teh age the the earth being much shorter than most scientists believe, various organisms are a direct result of divine creation and not subject to change other than extinction, and the occurance of a world-wide flood.
The American Civil Liberties Union challenged the bill in court as being unconstitutional on three grounds:

- it violated the religious establishment of the Firs Amendment (separation o church and state,
- it abridged the academic freedom of both teachers and students; and.
- it was impermissibly vague.

A witness in favour of the bill, Norman Geisler, asserted that there is nothing necessarily religious about God and that unidentified flying objects (UFO unidentified flying objects (UFO's) are "satanic manifes
tations for the purposes of deception." The state lost and is not planning to appeal.
The afternoon speakers discussed sociobiology, a discipline that seeks to explain the existence of traits like altruismm, which at first glance seems to be an evolutionary paradox (i.e., a person who risks is or her life to save her chance of having more
children). If there is a genetic basis for such traits, it should be selected against, and thus disappear. The answer seems to be that such activity indirectly ncreases the chances of the person's genes being propagated. Ince the individual saved is usually a relative carrying a very

## Genetic altruism

Dr. Douglas Boucher, Department of Biology, McGill, documented a number of cases where soclobiology-like arguments have been used to support sexist, racist and politically extreme viewpoints. He urged vigilence on the part of scientists to see that incorrect scientific arguments are not used to give credibility to such viewpoints. The last speaker. Professor Peter Harries-Jones, Department of Anthropology, York discussed how the co-evolution between two species, or between human biology and evolution, can be described from a systems It seemed (cybernetic) approach it seemed that many biologists were less than enthusiastic really mechapproach, as it is not really mechanistic, it is hard to see what predictive value it has or, in out words, it might look The what's the use of tr) The symposium was well attended (aithough not by York students; a lot of high school suduents came as groups) Surprisingly, this year, no creationists came to argue with the speakers.
One science professor thought this might be because the to get support for their difficult to get support for their idea
such a pro-science setting.

## Science Milestones

March 1, 1896: Antoine Henri Becquerel discovered radioactivity, that is, that some substances emit particles and energy spontaneously and continuously. This was the first clear indication that atoms have internal structure.
March 13, 1758: Halley's comet came to its perihelion, that is, the point of its orbit closest to the sun, as Halley had predicted in 1682. This proved definitely that comets, like planets, had solar orbits and were subject to the same natural laws.
March 13, 1855: Percival Lowell was born. He predicted the existence of an undiscovered planet because of discrepancies in the motion of Uranus. He searched for but failed to find the planet which was discovered 14 years after his death and named Pluto, the first two letters PL for Percy Lowell.
March 17, 1787: Albert Einstein was born. He formulated relativity theory and explained Brownian motion, the jiggling motion of small particles suspended in liquids, and the photoelectric effect.
March 17, 1787: Georg Ohm was born. Experimentally devised the relationship between current, electric potential and resistence that became known to every high school student as Ohm's Law.
March 17, 1882: Robert Koch announced the discovery of the tuberculosis bacillus.
March 22, 1868: Robert Milliken was born. He performed many elegant experiments, the most famous of which was to determine the magnitude of the electric charge of a single electron. In this experiment he also determined that electric charge existed only as whole multipies of the unit electric charge, thus confirming the particle nature of electricity.
March 27, 1845: Wilhelm von Roentgen was born. He discovered $X$-rays and determined their properties.

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## Telidon system is on television field trial

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The York project organizes course information from three areas: the Division of Executive Development in the Faculty of Administrative Studies, the Centre for Continuing Educa tion, and Atkinson College. tion, and Atkinson College. Development, in the Donald $B$ McCaskill Centre at York was chosen for entry into the Telidon system mainly because of th popularity and compactness of the program. Mainly concerned with management, the short courses offered are attractive to both middle and upper management personnel. The effectiveness of Telidon will be monitored through this program since respondents are requested to indicate that they received their information through the Telidon network.
The Centre for Continuing

## Monitored usage

Education was chosen as it is also relatively small and easily organized. The experience gained with these smaller divisions will develop the skills needed for organizing the Atkinson College course information to fit the Telidon format
The benefits arising from this project include exposure to a high technology medium establishment in this new

communication network and experience in the new field o electronic publishing.
The field trial provides an opportunity for members of the York community to get some first-hand experience with the Telidon system. It even has interactive capability, i.e games... "checkers, anyone?
A Telidon videotex terminal supplied by TVOntario, is located in the Steacie Science Library. Students, faculty and taff may make arrangements for using the terminal (subject to the availability of the system) Individuals using the terminal will be asked to complete an valuation form.
For reservations, contact Andrea Waldman, Room T103 Steacie Science Library, 667 6398.

## High powered beams

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the power of the beam, one could either adjust the current or the pressure of the gases. An ncrease in the current, i.e., number of electrons per second or an increase in the pressure of the gases would increase the ntensity of the beam and hus, the temperature at the beam's focus. The opposite of these actions would result in a ecrease of the beam's intensity. The nitrogen and helium gases serve as a catalyst to the eaction.
A varlety of substances can be used as a lens. These range from sodium chloride (common salt) to the more refined materials such as cadmium telluride which is used in the Physics department. All of the lens must to ten micron Infrared light.

The list is endless
Some applications of the carbon dioxide lasers include drilling, cutting, spotwelding and cleaning. The list is almost endless, and continually rowing as the knowledge of asers increases. The remarkable act about the laser is that it can be used to process both organic and inorganic materials. The ame laser can be used to cut wood or to weld two pleces of netals together. This is possible because the laser melts the ubstance around the area where the beam is focussed. Historically, one of the first ndustrial applications of the high-power laser was in the rilling of fine holes in diamonds or the fabrication of diamond dies. Holes less than 0.5 mm iameter could be drilled, giving some indication of how precise the work of the laser is.
In welding, the two main advantages of the laser, over a conventional arc welding system, is the small heat-affected area and the ability to weld different types of materials. This
was observed in 1969 when pieces of copper and titanium wer welded together with a laser and an alloy of the two metals was discovered along the seam. In work where two materials require joining and must remain homogeneous, the laser's ability is unparalleled. The laser melts along the edges of both work surfaces, thus allowing for the ifquid form of the material to intermix. The liquid then solidifles to form the homogeneous seal.

Just focus beam
The laser can also be used to work on materials that are under a vacuum, or in some other isolated environment, because no physical contact between the instrument and the work surface is required. The operator merely focusses the beam on the desired area and the work is done. Whereas, with a conventional system such as the arc welder, contact between the work surface and the welding rod is required.
Unfortunately, today's lasers do have their drawbacks. The high-power laser is a massive and delicate device, thus it must be handled with care, and it lacks the portability characteristic to other systems of equal power. Also, the laser requires a cooling system in order for it to operate safely. On the other hand, the advantages of laser machining often overcome such problems particularly in areas where conventional technology is lacking, such as in welding of aircraft alloys. This provides more than enough justification for the laser research to continue. York Physics Department is presently looking to the York Fund Campaign for the money to purchase a new, 2 kilowatt, carbon dioxide laser. The acquisition of this new instrument could result in a quantum jump in the University's present level of laser technology which is already of national calibre.

## YORK UNIVERSITY

## 1981/82 FINAL EXAMINATION

## SCHEDULE

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## LETTERS

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Thousands of Uruguayans now live in exile in various parts of the world (including parts of the world (including Canada) and in Uruguay itself two prisons are maintained about 1.000 male political about 1,000 male political prisoners are in ind about Freedom ( Prison and about 350 females are incarcerated in Punta de Rieles Prison Conditions in these prisons are widely known to be deplorable from a humanitarian stand oint and have attracted the orrified attention of human rights organizations such as Amnesty International and the last month, the United Nations Secretary General assigned two persons to visit Punta Rieles Prison - yet 4 or 5 days after their visit, on February 11, three prisoners (Brenda Sosa, Elisa Michelini and Edith Castillo were horribly tortured ostensibly for having attacked a guard, and three others were badly beaten for refusing to testify against their three fellow prisoners. The torture and beatings were supervised by an
officer Centurion
The situation in Uruguay, as day to day to day in prisons, is being of the UN Human Pights of the UN Human Rights Commission in Geneva. Canada s representative there, Ambassador Yvon Beaulne should make sure that this now it has been confidential now it has been connd within the Commission.
The people of Uruguay have made their will known through the same democratic process which is now being attempted in El Salvador. Having demons trated their decision, against incredible odds, they deserve to have it respected. While the to have no intention of respecting it, Canada surely has respecting it, Canada surely has a leading role to play in making clear that democratic countries people's articulated desires brutally flouted

Committee for the Defense of Human Rights in Uruguay

## WHO'S ELLINGTON?

Re: Paul Ellingtons' "Itching fora hit anywhere in this wide world

Excaltbur, March 11, 1982. Just who the hell does Paul Ellington hink he is? Who is he to describe today's demand for music as manifested by output on Toronto's radio stations as being garbage
The best music is the music people like not Ellington's misguided notion of boredom, redundancy, trash and creativity.

Jack M. Astaphan

## A CONCERTED THANKS

Thank you very much for the excellent review (Excalibur. March 18) of the concert given by Professor Joan Wick Pelletier and me last week. We appreclate your notice very much.
The last sentence of that review reads, "One looks of that to the next concert." This is to inform you that the next concert will be on Thursday. April 1. I will be on Thursday, April 1. I have prepared a short press reiease, which 1 thought you might possibly have room for in your next issue. It could be made shorter by omitting the third sentence (which begins. could also give more details if you want them. Please call me if you have any question
(extension 3420)
Again, thank you very much for your notice. I will greatly appreclate anything you can do to call attention to this series of concerts.

Hollis Rinehart

## NUCLEAR FREE

We, the concerned members of York University community, being aware of the great danger of nuclear weapons, consider it paramount to contribute to the growing Peace movement both in Europe and in our continent.

We applaud the decision of the Metropolitan Toronto City Council to call for a referendum on disarmament in connection with the Municipal elections next Fall (1982). As part of that movement we propose to run a referendum in our University in order to declare the campus area a Nuclear Free Territory, i.e., we declare our whole-hearted opposition to the production. stockpiling or dropping of nuclear (or any other kind) bombs on our territory.
Let us add our name to the growing list of names like growing list of names like London, Wales, Amsterdam,
Athens and many others, that
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Even with a volunteer staff it costs a lot of money to produce a good newspaper. In the past six years operating costs have increased fourfold while student council grants have dropped. $\$$ In 1976 CYSF budgeted $\$ 26,000$ for Excalibur. This paid $60 \%$ of our operating costs. In $1980-$ 81 they gave the newspaper $\$ 6,000$ which covered only $6 \%$ of expenses. The previous management responded by borrowing money from the administration. This worked for a \$ time, but two years ago the university administration demanded a return of the loan. For the past two years we have been forced to drastically curtail expenditures as we had to both operate the newspaper and pay back our debt, currently $\$ 22,000$. The university administration has been sympathetic and flexible in their demands; they say that they appreciate the importance of Excalibur but so far they have not supported us financially.
\$ Únder our new manager we have been successful. Excalibur now raises $80 \%$ of its revenue from advertising. This year we have been able to expand our low-cost printing and typesetting service which has been widely used across the campus. However, we must turn to the York $\$$ Community to pay their share towards our newspaper. Last year Excalibur received contributions from CUEW, YUFA, Bethune, Calumet, Osgoode, Glendon, Winters, Founders and CYSF. Some Colleges could afford $\$ 2,000$, others $\$ 100$. All contributions were appreciated.
This year we are especially in need of additional funds to help pay for the replacement of worn equipment and to sponsor staff training programs.
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I would like to thank those who have already shown their support.
Sincerely,
James Carlisle
Chairman of the Board Excalibur Publications

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## Examination etiquette or surviving the end

Jay Blaff
With pressures mounting, exams rapidly approaching, and no professors' strike in sight, fear that exams will proceed with the cocksure punctuality of loyal dog. Therefore I thought it practical if not profitable to design the following syllabus to be used as a guide to alleviate some of the tension or at leas channel it to areas where it might be better spent: for instance, worrying how you're going to pay for next year's
tuition.

## Methods of Study

Mnemonic devices - Don't get excited, it's not a respiratory disease. Mnemonic devices are devices that can be purchased at any stationery store at a minima cost, and when strapped to the head will increase powers of retention tenfold. In addition, when not being used for retention purposes, it can also be reversed and worn as an undergarment.
Hedging - This is a very exacting process which involved the use of a thin rope and a pare of pruning shears, or, If not readily available, a two-hour
glimpse of the exam beforehand glimpse of
will suffice.
will suffice.
Inculcation - It is common knowledge that the mind, in its unconscious state, is most an oral tape recording to is an oral tape recording to be played repetitiously every night You will be amazed how quickly You will be amazed how quickly the information is transferred and diffused into your brain. Don't, however, make the same mistake I did. For the fortnight prior to exams I unwittingly played the flip side of the cartridge; thus, when exams yrics to "American Pie"

## Chowdown:

If you are in the area check out The Mug
E.P. Curean

There's a little Indian restaurant to the west of Highway 2... and alas, there it remained, unreviewed, while a snow-weary traveller sought refuge under a neon "Genesee" sign.
Pouring into "The Mug" at 500 Bloor Street West were customers looking for some basic delicatessen-style fare. They couldn't have gone wrong if they chose a Submarine Delight. Packed with pastrami, salami, swiss cheese and garnished with hot and sweet peppers, all on a French stick, it would have fed the Canadian downhill ski team. And all for \$3.80. For \$2.90 there's roast brisket of beef on a kaiser or a reuben sandwich with sauerkraut, melted cheese, french fries and cole slaw for $\$ 3.90$. For a nickel less, try a veal sub with hot or sweet peppers and cole slaw. Each is large enough to stave off the wintry rigors of the Great White North.
Elsewhere on the menu are burgers costing from $\$ 2.05$ and on up. Roast beef on a French Stick is a rather pricy \$4.25. A better bet would be one of the "Spaghetti Specials". Spaghetti, with fresh fried mushrooms and a mug of draft costs \$4.38; spaghetti with meat balls and a mug of draft is $\mathbf{\$ 4 . 0 4}$.
Aviators, and anyone who flies a snowplow, might want to try a 747 Hot Dog for $\$ 1.45$. Homesick Norwegians could try The Mug's herring with sour cream for $\$ 2.30$
A helpful but nervous waitress informed Excaltbur that an appeal for dessert was futile. The selection of French pastries was all gone". So $\$ 1.10$ of their $\$ 1.25$ cost was spent on a plate of vanilla ice cream. Chocolate flavour is available too. A plece of strawberry shortcake is an outrageous $\mathbf{\$ 1 . 9 5}$.
Tea and coffee at The Mug is 404.14 oz . of draft beer is $\$ 1.10$ and 12 oz . of the bottled domestic stuff is $\$ 1.30$.
A special trip down to Bloor Street West just to eat at The Mug seems a bit unnecessary; there are lots of beer 'n' sandwich places all over Toronto. But if you're in the area, and the thought of another Big Mac. fries and coke is too much, check out The Mug.
complete with all five verses... used six booklets... managed a C plus. My fried did nine booklets... "Stairway to Heaven"... got a B plus and a recording contract.

## Tips for Writing Certain Exams

Hegel's Dialectic Otherwise referred to as sophistic reasoning, fallacious reasoning and syllo gistic reasoning, bu what plainly boils down to bullshit, for want of a better word For this particular exam it is better to understudy than overstudy or better yet not to study at all Come exam day proceed to toss about vague and obscure terms such as "negatio of the negation", antithesis, and synthesis. After all, that how Hegel himself arrived at the dialectical approach. Integral Calculus - A difficult exam to write, for even the mos astute individuals. This difficulty might be compounded. especially if the individual has never passed a mathematics course since Grade Three. In a subject like this the difference between scoring an A or an A plus will depend on how satisfactorily and how prudently one studies the material. If the student wants that little extra, he must not only practise integral Calculus, but also apply daily incorporate it into his daily life. He must eat, sleep and breathe Integral Calculus, which can be extremely hazardous, especially if you're on one of Phose low calorie diets. Philosophy - Here I would like

to relate the following parable told to me by that learned exegete, Hyman Blaff:
Decartes, having been the target of a starting revelation, turned to his brother, Ala Carte, in the middle of their weekly chess match and proclaimed, "I think, therefore I am", upon which his brother replied, "Your

There's a valuable lesson to be learned here. Namely, anyone who spouts philosophica remarks in the midst of mundane conversations no only deserves to be ignored and ridiculed, but also deserves to have his ears boxed.

## The Different Types of Students

1) First, there's the student who walks into every exam extremely collected and selfpossessed while brazenly affirming. "It's gonna be a cinch". The next scene is that of the brazen affirmer being wheeled out, flanked by I.V. bags and resuscitation units while clutching a Gideon Bible.
2) J.hen there's the very studious ndividual who attends classes on a regular basis (a rarity these boot licker sycophant, flatterer, olled into, and ass kisser, all dual Volunteors toxious indivior the or the professor outside of the school curriculum (another rarity). Can easily be spotted by the tremendous arsenal of pens and pencils. The target of scathing one voted "Most so), and the one voted "Most Likely To Be ynched"
Finally, there are the panicky this is the category that most students fall into. Walks into the room, sits down at desk, lays out writing utensils, blows on hands (and in an attempt to calm himee in an attempt to calm himself (words to the effect of "My life hinges on this exam"). Finally, he inhales deeply and the exams are distributed.
Panic and unadulterated darting around the sllent start darting around the silent room trying to locate otherstudents in the same fix (misery loves compans to sweat profusely and begins to sweat profusely and his final words before expiring are. "I knew I should have registered in a trade school" With that he passes out and is the answers under his nose.

## Trio discovers ways to keep faculty satisfied

PJ Todd

Neil Young probably wasn't thinking about university professors when he sang, "It's better to burn out than to fade away," but his words are apparently valid for academe too. The same potential exists for everyone: the brilliant can burn out and the bored can fade away.
Three York representatives- Chairman of Atkinson's English Department Robert Fothergill, Dean of Atkinson Ron Bordessa, and Bill Farr. Vice-President of Employee and Student Relations, went to New York recently to discuss the 'burn-out syndrome': professors performing below their capabilities because of job of New York and called Faculty Burn-Out. Faculty Reniversity of New York and called Faculty Burn-Out: Faculty Renewal provided an educational forum for those interested in improving faculty working conditions and maintaining ntellectual energy in universities.
Professor Fothergill offered a definition of the buzz word 'burnout: "There are two kinds of faculty burn-out. The rare form, and extremely productive and mot the conference, involves the extremely productive and motivated individual whose dynamo overloads and clicks off. This is not a common problem. the majority of the burn-outs are faculty members whoju st fizzle out
after 15 or 20 years. They get bored and cannot exciting. They've been teaching the same material for years.. Faculty burn-out is attributable to a number of for years."
Faculty burn-out is attributable to a number of other factors. "Opportunities for variety and mobility diminish. People thought explained Fothergill. Or faculty members are no new openings," explained Fothergill. Or faculty members suffer from feelings of how hard they work and the rewards the litle relationship between
Bill Farr perfers a more succint definition: "It's.
not like the word 'burn-out'. It suggests incapacity. The sym. I do not like the word burn-out'. It suggests incapacity. The symptoms are more like depression or mid-life crisis.'
Professor Fothergill emphasized the nature of York's measures that we can take now. before the problem preventative as it is in snme colleges in the United States. In his opin serious syndrome has yet to sertously affect York "C in his opinion the universities York is still fortunate - an ideal place The situation worse in the U.S. In English departments some profersionis teaching enormous sections departints some prolessors are bored and dismous sections of remedial Englishivast classes of bored and disinterested student
alleviate burn-out. Career counselling is one necause ens ways to professors to seek new jobs or expand the scope of encouraging prosessors to seek new jobs or expand the scope of their present
positions would allow them to escape the confines of their jobs Those in attendance also advocated that faculty members ignore the stigma associated with "professors staying in schol". ignore the stigma associated with professors staying in school intellectual stagnation. The conference also en
services to support faculty med the delopment of counselling burn-out as depression, fatigue, headaches, back pains, and hypertension.
York University has a Counselling and Development Centre that does offer help to faculty members , but as Lucie Cantrell, a Centre employee, said, "Our first priority is to counsel students." She believes the problem is "not as neat or as easily categorized as the term "burn-out' suggests" and said, "these days most people are concerned with problems related to the economy. People are trying to make ends meet and they are not as concerned with personal growth and exploration."
While Farr, an administrator constantly involved with contrac negotiations, was enthusiastic about the conference, he will not incorporate conference suggestions in York contracts. "I do not think that steps taken through the administration would work. This is not a contractual matter." Farr, however, has arranged for cassette recordings of the conference seminars to be made available to the York faculty and wants " to share my enthusiasm with my fellow deans and collegues."


Robert Fothergill, head of the Atkinson English Department.

## ENTERTAINMENT

## Photographic sculpture:

## Helfand is master of the art

Heather Whyte
Fern Helfand is one of York University's more innovative and imaginative photographic artists. Using the "photographic sculpture", her technique is a combination of photographic images and trapunto which is a method of stuffing and quilting abric. These photographic reproduced on light sensitized reproduced on light sensitized quilted to create a multiquilted to create a mult mensional work of art
Helfand's photographic sculptures, which have been shown in New York, Washington, and across Canada, have won her international recognition. As Studtor student of the York Studio Arts program. Helfand was influenced by photographer Jack Dale. Dale, currently teaching in the Visual Arts department, encouraged me to adopt a free experimental approach to photography and experiment and continued to experiment and develop her photographic sculptural style while completing a Masters

Degree in Fine Art at the
University of Firda. Helfand, University of Florlda. Helfand, Photographic Arts department. believes, "Toronto has a vital art scene which includes an exciting photographic community."

Having managed to break into the almost impregnable Toronto arts scene. Helfand will have her first major commercial exhibition at The Burton Gallery of Photographic Art, at the end of this month. The show, entitled Repitions" uses Repetition as the individual and connecting theme in all of her pleces. repetitive. She says "the rhythm and movement created by the repeated images are equivalent to the recurrent human relationships in life and the reactions of others to them." Helfand uses the photo graphic image as her medium of expression for the situational and emotional relationships between people. "Relationships
and emotions are delicate things which are full of intense reelings, so Helfand contrasts soft colour in her sculptures. which express the warmth of human interaction, to the bold sexuality related by her images. The choice of the proper medium $s$ important as she believes "the hree dimensional medium is more real, as it is tactile in quality." The continuous movement of images on the sculptured fabric creates a soft and sensual impression of human interaction in some of her pleces, and the harsh effect
of alienation in others. of alienation in others.

Helfand states, "the viewers should create their own interpretations as they bring their own experiences into the meaning of the plece." She defines her own definitive statement as that which the vewer can experience individually and universally in her work. "If someone can react to successful."

## Steinberg slick and predictable


> continued from page 1
> the continental look of the pink te on the pink shgirt. Steinberg was ablew to exude a disarming, mischeivous innocence that the audience could not resist. The only thing which the audience did become disenchanted with was the Global TC crew which was there to tape the two shows which will be edited and aired on Global TV later this year.
> The ever-present loudspeaker volce which encouraged the audience to cheer after Steinberg had lkeft the stage so that the crew could get some crowd reaction' shots and the sound man who urged the audience to its feet for a 'standing ovation' should have been the only people by whom

## The Bard is spinning

Robyn Butt
Three senior York acting students have made it big (AUDIENCE CUE: laugh) downtown (laugh). Ric Sarabla, Stuart Hughes, and Walter Villa are paying dues as servants in Toronto Free Theatre's current production of The Merchant of presumably This is called, presumably, a break (laugh OR Sary. But its torturous to recall dementia, Hughes in overdrive with Boticelli and Villa in senile janitordom, and then have to observe their struggle here against functional oneliners and non-functional tight white gloves in this peep-hole version of a play that should probably no longer be done, or certainly not done straight.
Sarabia in particular perhaps because he's got a constanuly identiflable role as Portia's buter- manages to leave a mark, hinting at enough selfsatisfled pomposity to earn laughs. And two other actors' battles rise to herolc proportions out of the calm: George Sperdakos as Shylock is as energetic, eccentric and convinctingly dignified as this character can ever be; and Tom McCamus as both Lancelot Gobbo and the sultor Prince of

Arragon rivets you with longing to see him in something he deserves.
But in general the production was bad and boring. Its hideous set is a geometric conglomboxes surounded rust colored buxes surrounded by little flats of Venice). For (the harbour known to the reasons bes known to the creators, this is arched by a few strings of hanging pots filled with white paper flowers, and peopled by languid fops in 1920's baggy delivered as lines - lines were superfluous verbal cavar in which interest is precluded in ennui - the juxtaposition by Elizabethan poetry with gelled hair and canvas deck-chairs is simply ridiculous, although is quite ridiculous enough to be quite ris
Death certificates go to director Edward Gllbert and designers Strasovec and Kinch Just because the concept of fake reinterpretation via Bard in Time Warp was made fashionable at Stratford is no excuse for the present destruction for exhaustion: those who cared, on- or off-stage were distinguished by embar assment.
York hopefuls, be brave. It's a long haul up that flat path.
the crowd felt manipulated
In what seemed to be a fit of hilarious improvisation. Steinberg pithly recounted the details of his act for a late comer. When the same incident occurred during the second Show. disappointment set in. taneous had seemed like spontaneous creativity was just nother contrived, sure-fire gag. Really it was this safeness and lack of spark which characterized the entire evening. The chotce of material was tallormade for the university crowd. Steinberg related his marijuana and university exam-writing experiences and, as the MC who opened the show promised, his language was unexpurgated and the sexual innuendos flew. But every step the comic took was on tried, oft-travelled ground.
Even a guest appearance by SCTV's John Candy, who arrived just in time to delight the second show crowd, was an exerclse in controlled spontaneity. Candy's presence signalled an opportunity for improvisation which Steinberg ignored. Instead, he relied on his famous BoogaBooga shtick, featuring Steinberg as the deranged psychiatrist and Candy as his insecure, baffled patient For the uninitiated who attended the performances, the evening was probably both funny and entertaining. For those who have seen Steinberg before, the absence of new material made for a show that lacked surprises and was mediocre at best.

##  <br> $====$ FEATUREALBUMS $====$ <br> February

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Fern Helfand's combination of fabric and photographer has made er a name in the Toronto arts scene.

Fern Helfand is also moving in a direction within her work. " 1 feel like I'm progressing, but I'm just beginning." The "Repet1tions show expresses Helfand's personal understanding of her experiences in form, design,
imagery and thought. Her works Imagery and thought. Her works are large scale renditions of the changes and feelings she experiences in iffe, reflecting th
being.
Repetitions" will be on exhibit in the Burton Gallery of Photographic Art, located at 508 Queen Street West. The ${ }_{81}$ exhibition will run from March 81 to May 1. Fern Helfand's photographic sculptures and collages are expressions of the human situation we experience every day, but seldom feel.

## Life is an artful game <br> Linda Feesey

The York production of Play tawdry absurdity of a married Strindberg Friedrich Duerren-
matt's interpretation of Dance of Death. just finished its Dance of Death, just finished its
preview at Mac Hall in preparation for a run at in palmerston Library. May 5 to 8 Strindberg scholar Elizabeth Sprigge, footnotes Dance of Death, "How startlingly modern this play is, comparable with today's offbeat theatre with, for instance, certain of Eugene onesco's grotesque and wildly funny tragedies." Duerrenmatt has not realized the absurdity of ionesco, but in Play Strindberg he has fashioned a fertile black comedy that demystifies The Dance of Death.
In the drawing room, the theatrical crossroads of humanity we find two might-have-beens, "I am a celebrated celebrated military man a letters (Edgar)and the familiar couple "growing grey in honorable bondage. The two would-be cannibals are in the midst of nibbling each other's egos for hors d'oeurvres.
The overwhelming motif o Play Strindberg is the game: life is a game, competition is selfaffirming, and coming out on top is life-affirming. To be an artfu and cunning player is to be a gentleman and to be an unwilling player is to be scum. Good strategy is being able to enjoy dinner to the sounds of your wife's infidelity. From misery, absurdity, "a barrel-load of shit for the rose-bed".
Play Strindberg, with its cutting edge of truth, is a black comedy well worth viewing. Actors carried their roles and the result is exciting. Look forward o seeing the show at the Palmerston Library.

## Rude is relevant

Robyn Butt
If you've tired of creaky. historically significant dramas, check out Rude Noises at Passe subtitle (and subtext) the Blank Generation wher is intent at least, is reassuring in heavy relevance, just relevance Ostent it , just relevance. Ostensibly it's the tace of best Eddy (Harry Phillips) whon) and Eddy (Harry Phillips) who leave Scarborough for Metro to find Eddy's sister Brenda. Unbeknownst to them, Beehive performance, the anorexic performance punk Eddy Beehive filts with theath girl Eddy with relevan death and Eddy with relevance, violence and incest to suppornny becomes Thooker to support them.
The play - which has a lot of fluous drop-outs hanging superluous drop-outs hanging about great one-liners.
"Brain dama
Brain damage in children and anal cancer have not been rrevocably linked to additives." The living dead and the walking wounded...." "How do dead wear polyester."

Brad Fraser, 22-year-old writer/director, researched Rude Noises by interviewing

## Lost six finally find a home

Romano Marchi
Producing a Pirandello play is challenge. One must emphasize what is implicit in his scripts and that the ideas expressed by the characters are motivated by their feelings and not the philosophical indulgences of a clumsy dramatist.
This challenge is met admirably be freelance director Ed Thomason and York's fourth year theatre students. Their production of Six Characters in Search of an Author, which opened Tuesday March 16 and ran until last Saturday, was a fast-paced, sharply focused production of agonizing intensity.
The play begins in a modern theatre and the set is simply a rehearsal stare, scattered with props and furniture Actors and crew enter usually,ready to begin day's work.An atmosphere of intimacy is established as the house lights are left up and the actors use the entire theatre as they would during a rehearsal. The scene quickly turns macabre as the "six characters" enter, ashen-faced, ominously dressed in black, claiming to be deserted by their author. What follows is their attempt to

improvise their own drama, raving of J.P. Chavair, as the much to the consternation of an vulgar director, drives the play uncomprehending director and cast.
Shawn Zevit (as the Father) desperately pleads with the director (and the audience) to understand the importance of the characters acting out their drama, while the sullen-faced Steve Hill (as the Son) viciously denies having anything to do with them. The sultry Monique Verlaan unmistakably conveys her contempt for the Father and Son. Finally, the ranting and
unders due to an inability to understand these theatre ghosts". Chevrier seems to hemordangerously close to ntensity of his frustration.
It is the charged performances of the four central charcters which truly depict what is mplicit and explicit in Prandello. York's Six Characters In Search of An Author is a successful production of a difficult play.

## Cash moves at Harbourfront

William Hurst
Choreographer/dancer Susan Cash presented 8 dances an Harbourfront, collectively titled New Moves. Most of the show New Moves. Most of the show by Primal Purge and 80 Ladies were premieres.


Primal Purge is a solo with Cash clad in pantaloon-like gold shorts and black bodice. Backed by equally exotic music, she escalates from tribal rhythms through sixties go-go dances. Her Primal Purge climaxes when she breezily jogs away from it all. In Dirge, Cash moves in a cacophony of taped voices as she confronts disparate inner voices. Using angular hand and foot gestures, she only sketches her turmoll. The nature and depth of the strugole are not exposed in the choreography.
Solo, danced by Anita Shack also fails to portray its intensity in a dance motif. Cash relies on a prop to clarify what the movement cannot.
Cash does not dance in Please Release Me. She poses, on a ladder, like a nightclub magiclan's assistant, in a red polka dot unitard. The minimalist movement by Cash and the others who hobble onstage help the work, although a prop is the focus for much of the time.
Imagination (Only) Reaches

Warmth Across seems still at a workshop level. Despite three strong performers, the work is verbose and inconsistent, with its power unrealized.
Whirlpool, by guest choreographer Joe Bietola, works a multitude of angles and dynamics to sustain interest and focus, without the aid of props or set.
Cash choreographed 80 Ladtes for 8 of the best dancers in Toronto. Each is given a distinct movement for which Cash attempts the high energy lancing However the phre dancing. However, the phrases are too flat and repetitive to succeed.

In all her work, Cash shows an astute appreciation for production values, such as the splendid cocktail dress by Jo Azzarello, in Please Release Me. She also attracts many talented dancers, like Billyan Balay, but Cash's choreography is too dependent on production and performers. It has trouble speaking for itself.

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## Pryor is on fire while Andre munches out

Elliot Lefko
Richard Pryor's new concert, Live on Sunset Boulevard. begins in the same manner a Richard Pryor in Concer, and his usual personal appearances a lot of fuck jokes and some Ironic racial message work. However, as soon as Richard Pryor begins to expound on his near brush with death last year all conventions are dropped and things become very intimate. Unike Sly Stone, Pryor will admit that freebasing is not a wacky baseball cliche, and tha cocain can be just as consuming as heroin. Pryor cuts his humor with a large dash of seriousness, although someumes it seems the other way around. Certainly there are some points in the film where Pryor and members of his falthfing tears both in seen shedding tears, both in joy and pain.
example, his characterizations of an old black Southerner and his Jim Brown impersonations are earth-type contrasts, and demonstrate that there is still a lot of humanity left in Pryor, despite the trappings of his success.
After a high-profile accident such as his last year. Pryor might have been tempted to sell his
story through a quicky blography that would have let him do his confessing in private. Instead, he has chosen to explain

his story in an honest and humor-filled monologue that leaves both artist and audience feeling better for the experience they've participated in.
My Dinner * With Andre,
currently at Cariton Cinemas, is a fictional duologue betweent two very real friends who haven't seen each other in years. If you've ever sat up all night, just talking this is your film. this is your film.
Andre Gregory spins incredible tales of journeys to mystical mountains and premature burials. Wally Shawn illuminates the purpose of life as a struggling New York actor. The two have come upon an

Intelligent, witty and yes, dramatic idea that is treated with style and sympathy by master filmmaker Luis Malle. An independent film, made for half the cost of an Ultra-Brite commercial, Andre is an encouraging sign for the imaginative filmmaker. Or, as Gregory would say, "Do what your heart tells you, someone will eventually connect."

## Too short to forget...

Written in 1975, Tor Age Bringsvaerd's The Glass Mountain Witen in injoyed Transalted from Norwegian by Tjostolv Songedal, the play is about to make its North American debut in Mac Hall on March 30,31 and Aprll 1 at 8 pm .
The cast consists of 8 actors and 8 puppets who will perform in the round below a suspended thirty by twenty-five foot plastic set piece. With such a large production the seating is limited so get here early to enjoy a full evening of distinctive entertainment J. Brett Abbey

Upstaged begins tonight and runs through Saturday at Mac Hall. There are two shows nightly and admission is a mere 50 cents. Unlike most other York Cabarets, Upstaged takes place in York where the hokey predictability of Hollywood's biggest musicals are lampooned. Undoubtedly, it will be the chorus that will bring the audience to their feet with laughter, as it periodically marches on to the stage unannounced and bursts into song and dance. Upstagedplays March 25.26.27 at 8:30 and 10:00 pm, with an added show Fridav at midnight. There is a licensed bar available.

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## Eddie Greenspan: a leading actor in the theatre of law

## INTERVIEW BY IAN BAILEY

Perry Mason may have vanished into the annals of fiction but in Eddie Greenspan Canada has the brand of criminal lawyer that Earl Stanley Gardner's creation could only be on the pages of those famous novels. Flamboyant and inventive, Greenspan is generally regarded as one of the best in his field. His reputation for taking the cases that no one else will touch is only reinforced by his list of clients. Things looked bad for Bruce Allen when his mistress Loralee Lorenz fingered him as the murderer of her husband, lawyer Bruce Lorenz. Greenspan kept on the case and managed to win an aquittal for Allen. Gerard Fllon, accused in the Dredging Scandal, the Metro Hold-Up Squad accused of torture, Gregory Garrin, accused of murdering his cousin Lilly Tomlinson-Greenspan takes on the tough ones and usually wins.

You're well known for the härd work you put into your professlon. Why do you work so hard?

The role of the criminal lawyer is one that I see as very important. Anyone charged with a criminal offence is up against the entire mechanism of the State. They have unlimited resources to spend in order to try to convict somebody. The only person the accused can look to is the criminal lawyer. It is a sacred trust we have in defending people charged with criminal offences. As a result, it requires extremely hard work. Unless Iam fully prepared I can't. in good conscience, walk into a courtroom.

What role do you belleve impressing the jury has to play in the outcome of criminal cases?

It doesn't have the same role that it had a hundred years ago when it had a hundred years ago when the day. Jurors today are more the day. Jurors today are more knowledgeable. They have a
better understanding of the process and as a result you must process and as a result you must as it unfolds. You must impress them, you must convince them and in that sense everything is and in that sense everything is a manner that persuades them. The criminal lawyer is the stage director, the lighting man, the choreographer and the costumes designer. He has got to be painstakingly careful about all the detalls. All of these things are part of the persuasive element in the courtroom.

It sounds like theatre....
There is an element of theatre but the difference is that at the end of the play the rope is taken off the actor's neck so that he can act again. In criminal law if you lose then your client goes to a real jall and real liberty is at stake. There is no second chance
at performing the role.

That brings up the eternal confltct forthe lawyer. Do yougo justice?

As a criminal lawyer I do not make moral judgements about the gullt or innocence of my chents. If a client says 1 am not
gulty, my job is to act on that guilty, my job is to act on that
client's behalf. Juries decide the client's behalf. Juries decide the
facts, not the lawyers. If an facts, not the lawyers. If an
accused person said that he did accused person said that he did
it but asked me to get him off then the role of the defense council is to test the Crown's case to try to show that there is not sufflcient evidence to find
my client guilty. my client guilty.
I believe that there is such a thing as the presumption of innocence. The State is not entitled to take away a person's
freedom unless they can prove.
beyond a reasonable doubt, that the accused is guilty. On those terms I have no problem acting for an accused person subject to one rule - that we are not allowed to call purjured evidence.

You are on record as beting strongly against capital punishment. Why do you find it so repugnant?

The danger about capital punishment is that it is a nonreversible sentence. Once imposed, if anything comes out to show that the executed was innocent. you cannot apologize. open the door and let him out to live the rest of his life. He's dead! To me, there are enough books written about innocent people who were unjustly convicted that I would not want the possibility of an innocent man being convicted and sentenced to death.

## Nobody escapes the scar

## Do any elements of the Clufford

Olson payment surprise you?
My Initial reaction to the Olson payment was not really one of surprise. I regretted that it had to be done but when I examined the particular facts of the case, it became evident that it had to be examined individually and on its particular circumstances.
On analysis. I am very sympathetic to the payment. The knowledge and certainty of apprehension of this mass killer was important to hundreds of thousands of innocent people. Lives were altered by the presence of this killer in their midst. To know who killed all of those children was something that, if it cost $\$ 90,000$, was a bargain. In that sense. I have no problems with what the police did.


You've pointed out for the public record (Macleans. Feb. 1. 1982) that payment to criminals occurs on a regular basis. Do you belleve that there are legal grounds to recover the Olson payment?

Yes. There may be some very serious difficulties because he has placed it in trust. Ithink the contract is contrary to public policy and it's one that was undoubtably made under duress by the authorities. Those are two bases on which the contract could be struck down, in my could
vew.

I see the payment to Olson as a single event where the circumstances required the police to do it. In the Olson case coming from the confessor. He led them to the actual bodies. It is undoubtably true that he is the killer of those children and that certainty is a factor that must exist before the accused person is paid. It seems to me this is not the beginning of payments to accused persons. People are given rewards in our system all the time. In this case it happened to be money because they could not offer him anything else. Olson made a particularly bad deal for himself. The last time I looked, he is spending the rest of his life in jall.

The bottom line is that Clifford Olson is gone for good, but in the plea bargaining system that we have in this country accused people are giving rewards all the time. If they're charged with murder, they plead manslaughter. They give a little, the State glves a little. It's a negotiative process that exists throughout society when you have competing interests.

What elements make up effective cross-examination?
Cross-examination is part of the Theatre in court. Some of the best cross-examination is the Shortest cross-examination. Very few questions are asked and you may not even get the answers that you are looking for. The cross-xamination should defence attorney understands what is going on understands what is going on

In view of the recent shooting tragedy at Osgoode Hall would you say that the securty enough to insptre confldence in you?

There are a minor handful of homocides in the city and I feel confldent going anywhere in the cly. People are having the wrong kneejerk reaction. Only two homocides have occured in court in the last century. I am
more uneasy in an airplane.

"The criminal lawyer is the stage director, lighting man, choreographer and the costumes designer."

You've handled some very spectacular crminal cases that attracted a great deal of media attentton. Do you think that the more sensattonal media tend to try accused individuals alongside the courts?

The media sometimes gets carried away with a particular case. They love to publish the gruesome detalls of a crime. When an arrest occurs there's widespread publicity. In a number of cases I was involved in , the accused was tried and convicted long before the trial. If and when the accused is ultimately acquitted, there is usually very little attention; not nearly as much as when the charge comes down. 1 ine to cal" it the damnation or acquital The accused person who is charged is hough to be guilty by the public. The press fosters hat beying "My Codithe police have saying. My God The police have charged an innocent person. They never do that. They play on the stories adn they do In in such a fashion that the people who are charged never live it down. even when they are proven totally innocent. Nobody ever escap
the scar of being accused.

## Olson made a bad deal for himself

How much do you think Eddle Greenspan's reputation helps in court?

I don't know. I somehow suspect that it is irrelevant to the jury. did jury trials long before I was well known and I'll continue to do jury trials long after I'm forgotten. Juries may now expect great performances. Let's face it they should. They spend eight hours a day in the courtroom. There may be a belief that you can destroy a witness right bracticing long enough to know practicing long enough to know is to convesnce happen. The fight is to convince the jury that you

The presentation of a case is vitally important. A marvelous play written by Shakespeare, if badly acted or presented or choreographed, will not have a favorable impression on the audience and the jury is that audience.

The fact of the matter is that in a jury trial there is no way that the jury can remember all the evidence. Jurors in Canada don't take notes so they really remember impressions. They have impressions of how a witness stood up; not so much what he said, although they remember the essential ingredients. It's a matter of form. its a matter of creating appearances in court. It's a matter of understanding the psychology of the witness.
As a figure in the legal profession. do you think that Bertha Wilson's appointment to the Supreme Court reflects a liberalization in the legal profession and a confirmation of the female presence in the legal field?

What it has acheived is to sensitize the nation to the shortcomings of soclety in that there are presently no women in the Supreme Court. It's neithera confirmation nor a liberalization rather, it is a recognition that women in Canada. Had the a statement of the equality of a statement of the equality of time been right but no qualified time been right, but no qualified women present, then no woman would have been appointed. The need and
coincided.

What made you decide to take up the legal defence of the Metropolttan Toronto Police Hold-Up Squad?
The simple answer to that is that they called me. I had never acted for the police in the past. however, when it came to a question of defence acting for a client it's not a question of picking and choosing. I don't forget the presumption of annocence and I make no moral and legal judgements on the guilt of my clients. If lawyers pick and choose their cases our
system will crumble.
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## BOG REPORT

York's central student council, CYSF, and he councils of Glendon and Atkinson, have requested increases in their operating rants. Whereas now the councils of Glendon, Atkinson, and CYSF get from each constituent, full-fime student $\$ 40.00$ $\$ 25.23$, and $\$ 40.00$, these charges would respectively jump to $\$ 53.00$, $\$ 53.00$, and 49.00. These increases would be financed through equivalent increases in "tuition fees for York students. All York students who do not fall into the Glendon or Atkinson category would be paying the fee requested by CYSF, if the Board of Governors (BOG) ratifies that request. CYSF thus in this case speaks for non-member constituencies, like Osgoode, Bethune, and Calumet.
Although CYSF makes the request for the increase from $\$ 40.00$ to $\$ 49.00$, CYSF does not exclusively control expenditure of the money. in the current arrangement, nonmend Ber constituencles (Osgoode. Calumet, and Bethune College) get $\$ 27.50$ of the studen CYSF has exclusive pow rulltume rudeinting $\$ 1250$ eontributed by students remaining 12.50 contributed by students fontributed by students from non- $\$ 12.50$ contrituences by ints frust fund. Funds from the respective trusts can be spent only after areeme between CYSF and the respective non-member constiuenc. If you respective non-member constituency. If you find this confusing, you are not alone. weight. Tendered by the Glendon Atkinson and CYS considered by BOG's Student Relations Committee. The Committee operates on the assumption that the tradition the request of the executive is assumed to be the democratically determined request of all those for whom the executive speaks. The BOG Committee assumes that any dissent against increased council operating grants has been settled by the students as a political question, for which they are exclusively responsible. Consequently, the Committee does not pretend to be interested in the procedure employed by student council executives in their decision to seek an increased budget. The executive's request would have to be unconscionable for the Student Relations Committee to question it. Failing such unconscionability, the Committee sends the requests on to the Finance Committee, as it did at the February 8th BOG meeting. The Finance Committee would normally rubber-stamp the proposal. concerning itself only with the task of implementation.
In their present system of raising revenue. the council's accountability to students is minimal. I feel that change implemented along the lines suggested below would make York's student governments more accountable, and would help them improve their performance

The First Proposal:
Accountability on Student Bills
York students pay to support student government through a charge which is on their University bills. Most clearly, it is
foreign to our pariamentary notion of accountability that we should support any organization when we are unaware that we are doing so. The Board of Governors justifies taking a student government grant out of "tuition" revenues by employing an expanded notion of "tuition". An element of truth admittedly inspires the idea that student counclls enhance education through the activities they sponsor However, if BOG inststs on tmposing an obligatory tax on students to support student counctls, it should, according to mintmum standards of democracy, let the taxpayers know. This would merely call for another line of itemization on our billshardly an onerous administrative burden in a computerized era. Whether the Board continued to pass on the funds as a "grant" (which it formally bestows upon councils on a discretionary basis), or if it gave councils the right to charge students a council fee (which could be made subject to Board approval) would make no practical difference to students
BOG may object that it does not want to be accountable for the grants it bestows upon student councils. Such an objection would amount to a second weak link in the chain of accountability between students and their councils. Such a weakness strengthens my argument for a change from the grant charge their constituents directly.

## The Second Proposal

## Accountability Through Referenda

It is fundamentally important for the University to let us know what we pay to support student governments. But it is even more crucial for students to participate in deciding how much they tax themselves in order to finance their own councils.
We have become accustomed to the idea hat citizenship in a country entails the cost fitte supporting its government. And we have ittie direct participation in setting our nation's tax levels. But the legitimacy of a national tax imposed by the government epends the unsultability of more may prefer a more making process our country is too deplous and complex for individuals to play direct and com plex firect roles in national decisions.

However, whereas "indirect" democracy nay be the only practical option for a polity ke Canada, I believe we can achieve more direct participation in a smaller community ke York University.
Student councils have massive budgets For instance, CYSF's budget for 1981-82 was $\$ 131,040$, most of which comes from student pockets. Relative to the budgets o ther student councils in Ontario, this may be small. But student councils at UUDersities in the U.S. operate on NO BUDGET other than that which they raise hrough the voluntary support of their onstituents. I do not advocate that York adopt such a policy. A switch to that system would be too radical a shift for our concils to But
But more accountability could help our
student councillors improve their performance. Ratfication in a general referendum should precede any council's request for an increase in operating grants. The campaign for approval by the requisitioning council would elevate the profile of the government on campus, and focus students' attention on its performance.

The Third Proposal
Accountability Through Rebates
The final proposal would involve a rebate enabling dissatisfled students to recelve a partial retmbursement of the money they contributed towards their student government. The avallablility of rebates would have to be carefully circumecredes order to protect councils from unjust depletions by "free riss from unjust depletions by "free riders". If, before coilecting his money, a student had to complaint about the performance of that council, and then had to wait for several months to give that councll a fair several which to respond, a high level of constructive criticism could be directed at our student governments. Given thier constant (and justified) complaints about student apathy, our councillors could hardly resent increased participation by their constituents. And, to protect the councils from a total budgetary collapse, the amount which could be collected by a complaintant should be limited. I suggest that students should be able to collect only $10 \%$ of the fees which they individually contribute. If well publicized, a $\$ 0.00$ rebate would be sufficient incentive for students to voice dissatisfaction to their councils; budgets would still be insulated from mortal attack The rebate proposal presents several problems, most of which I do not address here. One problem is the uncertainty that would be introduced into budgetary planning. Another is the administrative cos hat would be involved. A third would be stabirshing fair criteria for a valld claim. Determining a fair method of adjudicating vould be a fourth obstacle. And fifthly, we ncounter the difficulty of recovering mone rom not one, but two student counclls: YSF and the respective constituency. While admit these problems may render a rebate proposal unworkable. Waterloo and Western Unversities have reportedly implemented rebate plans. Improved accountability may justify the pains of implementation at York
Summary: A Rousseau Approach
The three proposals would all contribute to a higher level of accountability in our student governments, moving us away from indirect democracy and closer to government by direct democracy. the firs rroposal is to have student councll fees show up on our bills rather than be included under "tuition". The second proposal is to make increaseș in operating grants subject to general ratification of the students. And thirdly, students should, after presenting a valid, substantial complaint, be able to collect a $10 \%$ portion of the fees they paid in support of their governments.


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## 'There is life

 after basketball'
## Perry Lefko

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"I don't really expect that people will remember me much past this year when I'm fintshed playing basketball in the Ontario Untversittes Athlettc Association. I'm not living for the fact they will. I hope to have accomplishments other than basketball."

## -David Coulthard

It's February 10th, a day after he scored 50 points against the University of Toronto Blues toset an Ontario Universittes Athletic Association points per game record, and David Coutchard, the silent star of the Yeomen basketball team, is LinJACSandi about to attempt a post-gam field goal.
He crumples a paper cup in his hand and eyes a garbage can a few feet away. Wehine him a vide machine behind him playing games win his mind. Cour eft hande. The cup fuyters in ter hander. The cup faters in of the taret Albill The is of the carge. Alris.

## Personal awards

Since coming to York in '77-78 following a splendid high school career with his homẹtown high school, Tillsonburg Glendale Coulthard has accumulated a host or personal awards. two of the past four years he's recelved the Mike Moser Award, given to the best basketball player in ountry,he's a three-dmewnner the Lest vaique. awn in the most valuable players in the five teast and west divisions All-Canadtin bern All Can five record five Ontario all-sta selections.
He finished third over-all in OUAA all-time regular season scoring with 1133 points, and probably would have shattered points had he not rised severa points due to infurtes games due to injuries.
He led the OUAA in scoring this season with 30.2 points per nearest competitor Coming his nearest ponpector. Coming into he season he feld poals pe attempted, and 85 percent 5 free throws. ree throws.
On March 5, the night of the OUAA final and his final game at York. Coulthard was honored by the University. His shirt number (14) was retired, the first time in the history of the school. Coulthard showed his gratitude by scoring 49 points and leading ye scoring 49 points and leading over the Windsor Lancers.

## Penetrating eyes

Despite all these accomplish ments, however, Coulthard is far from satisfied. The Yeome haven't won the nationa championship in all the years he's been at York, and for a person who sets goals in terms of winning games and championships, that's as disturbing as a forgotten phone number.
We ve got there three years in a row and we've always lost, Coulthard says, his penetrating eyes drawing you like a force to his irustration. "Every time you lits always hard on you. The one thing you can say about Coulthard is that he's a consummate team player. He doesn't like talking about his
talents: instead, he'd rather talk about the team. And it seems that every time the media tries to shine the spotlight on him, he directs it on his teammates. The reason is partly because he intensely shy and partly because of his upbringing.

## Basketball family

Coulthard grew up in a basketball family. His father, Bill played for Tillsonburg's Livingstone Industries, which represented Canada in the 1952 Olympics in Helsink. His eldest brother, Chris, participated on the 1969-70 Oympic team, while playing for wifred Laurier University. His brother, Bruce played for the University Windsor and his two Carol and Betty, played hig schoolbasker Gut Coult
But Coulthard never aspired to be like the other members of his family. When he started playing basketball at the age of no idea in hts pre-teens that he'd no playing high echol be playing high school, let aione university basketball. He soon ball handling the same two skills he uses today to delight fans and depress the to desition

## Principle downfalls

As for his success, there's also been a defeat - aside from the team falling to win the nationals. He's never made it to the Canadian National team, although he's tried out four times, and has just been offered another tryout by the head coach, Jack Donahue. Though he's never been told by Donahue why he was cut. Coulthard believes his two principle downfalls are his lack of defensive aggressiveness and his lack of weight. He says he can compensate for both these deficiencies and adjust to Donahue's rugged system. Still, he holds no grudge against Donahue and says he'll try out for the team again.
With the paper cup lying idly by the garbage can, Coulthard rises slowly and says there is life after basketball.
"I'm not dreaming of making a million dollars, but I'd like to live comfortably." he says, putting on his parka. And then, with an ear-to-ear grin, he adds, "a true capitalist's dream."

## Epilogue

Coulthard's university basketball career is officially over.
As for the future Coulthard says he'll be looking for employment. As for basketball there's a tryout with the National Team.
Beyond that, Coulthard says. "I don't know, I haven't decided yet."
Perry Lefiso is a Ryerson journalist student (and one o Coulthard's biggest fans).


York's claim to fame-David Coulthard of the Yeomen basketball team from 1977 to 1982 March 25, 1982 Excallbur 19


## Eskimos have taken notice of football talent

## What about the Argos? <br> Mike Leonetti <br> Both Janiuk and Capobianco <br> two kicking specialists (punte

did not play for the Yeomen this past season, although they were team members for the previous seasons. Their academi standing required them to withdraw from York for at one year.
"Peter Janiuk has an excellent chance of making the team." Pickett says, "because he has size, quickness, and strength. fit pims blocking ability should him in well with Edmonton." Pickett also adds that Janiuk would have been higher in the draft had he played this season. As for Capobianco, Pickett definite pro prospect. Capobianco's strength is his place kicking thus he could be an asset in both the CFL and National Football League.
Edmonton may be the best place for Sergio because they are ne of the few teams who keep
and place kicker)," explained Pickett.
With
With the punting position already filled by the best in football, the Eskimos will likely look at Capoblanco as a plac kicker. Although it will b difurt to unseat veteran Dav Cutter, whose age is starting to catch up with his skils(accurac With McCabe,
Whth McCabe, Pickett credits pound frame end 6 ft. 4 in.. 250 po other profess his experienc giving him cracking the an extra edge in "Trent is strong on the
rush. The CFL tea on the pass quickness that he has for defensive end position" end position," says

## Calgary Stampeder

The Calgary Stampeders have signed defensive back Dan Koenig, an often underrated player in York's secondary season he was left out in the annual university draft.
"Dan has a good chance of ticking with Calgary because they are looking for Canadian Hensive backs, says Pickett. He has the size and speed and he's a very intelligent player. Montreal is interested in Mentreal end Charies Laing Montrealsorganizationisstilin ould certainly utiliz the the n 235 pound Lai the 6 fl . the, 235 pound Laing because hey are in desparate need of Laing's strenth.
Laing's strength and quick candidate on the Als
candidate on the Al's roster.
Pickett has also indicated tha CFL teams have expresse Interest in centre JohnPresian receiver Nell Dalgarno

## Mixed emotions

Pickett naturally has mixed emotions about the players wh could land professional jobs

I hope they make it becaus hard. I know that if they get the opportunity to play they will do well. If these players make the CFL it will help our program." At the same time Pick admits he would not mind seein the players back with theYeomen next year because they will definitely help the team
The interest expressed by the CFL indicates that York producing quality athletes and that the football program has a strong commitment from all those involved. It speaks well for York to have Edmonton sign three York athletes because the Eskimos do the most thorough scouting job and are by far the est organization in Canadian football.

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