## Missing Calumet secretary reunited with Prof husband

By DAVE BYRNES

"I'm dazzled and benumbed by the euphoria of having her back."
York psychology professor Lawrence Boulter can't say enough about the return of his wife after her three month disappearance. Ida Marie Boulter, who worked as a Calumet College secretary, disappeared mysteriously from her Maple Area home on November 15. She phoned home last week after reading a Toronto Star valentine ad from her husband.
Professor Boulter said his wife was suffering rom memory loss. Althugh the return of her memory was "very rapid" Professor Boulter said yesterday that she is still in "a state of transition." The details of her three-month ordeal are still "sketchy," he said, but a picture is gradually emerging.
After leaving her home at about $8: 15$ on the morning of November 15 Ida Mare, who had been suffering from the flu, said she walked for seven or eight days, ending up in Oakville. She remembers sleeping in three or four churches, her husband said, and sleeping outdoors at
least one night. By the time she got to Oakvill she had a "badly injured foot" from walking, Professor Boulter said, and probably sought id from a local doctor
While in Oakville Mrs. Boulter applied for a ob as a nurse and companion to an elderly scarborough woman. She was selected out of a field of about 200 applicants, her husband said, and apparently gave a false name because she ould not remember her own.
Boulter praised his wife for handling herself with dignity" while coping with being unable o recall her identity. "It was an amazing display of inner strength on her part," he said. Boulter said that his wife's strained mental state, which he called a "feeling of disorientation," went almost unnoticed by the people she worked with in Scarborough, who remain unidentified. They did notice that she was "somewhat numb," but that condition apparently didn't hinder her ability to work, he said. He refused to identify the couple she was
While in th
While in this condition Mrs. Boulter wa
eafing through a newspaper when she came upon a valentine message addressed to her from her husband: "LULU my love, my life, my eternal valentine: Please, please phone. Lorry." Reading the ad was the "catalyst" for he return of her memory, Professor Boulter said.
"A stoke of luck" ended the case, said York Regional Police Sergeant Bill Hill, one of the two detectives in charge of the investigation. Together with Detective Peter Thompson, he had traced more than 50 leads, including some into the United States and overseas. Ida
Marie's case was "unique" and "bizarre," said Sgt. Hill.
Boulter said that he has only "slightly better guesses than anybody does" about the bizarre memory loss experienced by his wife. He said memory loss experienced by his wife.
that her condition is now "excellent."
Ida Marie is still working at her Scarborough job until a replacement is found. Her husband job until a replace worn is at Calumet.


Ida Boulter.

## Four injured in Keele St. crash



High-steppin' cheerleaders
all game Tuesday Story p. 17

By GARY SYMONS
and ANDREW ZARNETT
A family of four are in hospital after their car was set ablaze after being struck by another vehicle at the Keele St. intersection outside York University grounds over the weekend. According to police, at $4: 45$ p.m. Sunday a driver turning left onto Canarctic Dr. from Keele St. collided with the Schreuder family's Chevrolet, driving northbound on Keele.

Their car swung out after impact, struck a lamppost and their gas tank exploded. Ronald Schreuder, 17, who was driving at the time, his parents, Luke, 49, Adriana, 44, and brother Eric, 12, were rescued by passersby, said police. None of the three passengers in the other vehicle, a Buick, were injured. Police have not released the names of the driver or passengers. Police said charges have been laid against the driver of the Buick
The accident occurred at the same intersec tion where 20 -year-old York history student
Carolyn Rosenberg died when her car was Carolyn Rosenberg died when her car was struck by a van about six weeks ago. Some intersection since Rosenberg's death of the

## Ross computer and stereo heist

During the morning rush hour there is a flashing green light at the intersection but it doesn't operate through the rest of the day.

In a related story, two men were severly injured just before reading week in another car accident on campus grounds.

According to police, Francesco Perri was traveling southbound on Fraser Dr. near Stong College at approximately $4: 50$ p.m. February 10 when his car went out of control as it approached a bend in the road.

Police said Perri's vehicle spun out sideways and crossed into the northbound lane striking York Associate Professor of Administrative Studies David Dimick's Volkswagen broadside.
Geoff MacLeod, staff supervisor of York's Safety and Security, said both drivers were taken to York Finch hospital. Perri sustained neck and back injuries while Dimick suffered a broken leg, concussion, and a possible broken right ankle.
Police said no charges have been laid

## Lineup relief for arts students

y CAROL BRUNT

The Faculty of Arts is implementing a new registration process to relieve lineup delays, disruption of students' study period, and strain on facult
Traves.
"It was clear that our system had simply broken under the numbers involved," said Traves
This year, students will use an application form to list their choice of courses, alternatives and electives. The emphasis is on greater access to courses for those students nearing graduation, said Traves
The Faculty will place a maximum on the number of courses students can choose in an effort to prevent students registering in eight or nine courses and then dropping four or five, he said. Enrollment kits, including application forms and instructions, will be distributed at the end of February.
Students will still have to go to the individual departments to pick up supplemental calendars, but the time spent in waiting for individual computer cards on assigned days on assigned times will be eliminated.
In June, students wiit be notified by mail of the course they can take-in effect, the University will be mailing out a computerized timetable to each student. To resolve conflicts and make course changes, another enrolment period will be scheduled at the end of August. However, there will be no guarantee of courses if students wait until then to register for the first to give students access to the courses the want," said Traves.

The method of fee payment, however, ha not changed according to Colin Deschamps, York's chief accountant. Payments can be made by mail or in person at the Temporary Office Building in the summer or at Central Registration in September

Summer registration at Atkinson College has also posed a problem in past years for York day students because it lasted only one week, and because it conflicted with final exam study week. Though changes were hinted at last year, Jim Cameron, associate professor of Geography and director of administration at Atkinson, admits "there are probably not a great deal of changes from last year.
According to Cameron, Atkinson has looked more closely at the various disciplines that were scheduled together last year to spread the "heavy areas over the whole week and, based on last year's demand, trying to have courses available where we anticipate demand."
The advantages of Atkinson's system versus that of the Faculty of Arts, said Cameron, is that the students find out immediately whether they are registered in the course of their choice and changes can be made on the spot if necessary.
Atkinson registration this year will be from April 2-6 for York day students wishing to take summer courses. The college's registration contracts and summer timetables will be available from the Office of Student Programs by March 12, said Cameron.
Students are allowed a three day period after registration in which to pay their fees.

## By BERNARDO CIOPPA

 About $\$ 6,000$ worth of stereo and computer equipment was stolen from the Scott Library equipment was stolen from the Scott Libraryafter thieves broke in during the weekend. after thieves broke in during the weekend. Accordmg to Leonard Draper, Scott's administrative officer, the culprits broke the door to the Scott listening room and stole Metro police said the thieves remained inside

## Rogers reelected at Atkinson

## ${ }^{\text {By }}$ GARY SYMONS

The Atkinson College Students' Association (ACSA) reelected incumbent president Rosamond Rogers in a heated, five-hour General Assembly meeting Saturday.
Four candidates originally ran for the position. One nominee, Courtney Doldrun, withdrew his nomination only minutes before the vote.
Rogers received 20 votes while candidates Terry Buckland and Sonny Francois received nine and five
Rogers recently came under criticism for receiving a $\$ 4,000$ loan from Atkinson student funds.
Two executive council members, former director of internal affairs Manon Krohn and former director of external affairs Doldrun, said Rogers should resign her position as president of the Assembly because of the way the loan was handled.
The loan agreement was made between ACSA Treasurer Avi Cohen and Rogers in May 1983 before Assembly members were notified. Other
he library Saturday evening. Police suspect a key was used to get into the library. Police value the equipment stolen at $\$ 4,800$; Draper alued it as $\$ 6,000$ or $\$ 7,000$.
The theft was reported Sunday morning by library staff, said Draper. Nobody reported seeing anything and police have not made any arrests.

Police said they have no suspects or leads.
council members were told of the transaction at their next meeting. The portion of the council minutes pertaining to the loan was held in camera and Atkinsonian editor Mary Ellen Kelly was asked not to publish details of the loan in the paper
According to Krohn, Rogers needed the loan to pay off $\$ 9,000$ in payments on a newly acquired house. The other $\$ 5,000$ came from a personal loan from Cohen.
Controversy arose during the election when 10 ballots were spoiled.
Director-Without-Portfolio David Camp rose on a point of order saying the discounting of 10 ballots, almost a quarter of votes cast, of 10 ballots, almost a quar,
Camp introduced a motion to have the election re-held but was overruled by Speake Jack Gazan. Gazan said the voting procedure had been clearly explained by the election officer and a new vote was not necessary since the spoiled ballots could have no effect on the outcome of the election as Rogers won by 11 of the 44 votes cast.



## Centre helps victims of sexual harassment

8y LAURA LUSH

York University has a duty not only to take available sanctions to prevent sexual harassment but to do everything in its power to prevent incidents of sexual harassment,
according to the 1982 Report of the presidential advisory committee on sexual harassment.
It is this very notion of responsibility tha formed the Presidential Advisory Committee on Sexual Harassment in April 1980, making York the "first Canadian university to address itself to procedural and educational aspects of sexual harassment," the Report states.
The establishment of the Sexual Harassment Education and Complaint Centre, located at S113 Ross, is a direct result of findings from the Presidential Report, which probed the nature of sexual harassment and York's dealing with such incidents.
The Centre has been in operation since December and is staffed by coordinator Dorothy Moore and part-time assisfant Sally Jay.
The report defines sexual harassment as being: - Unwanted sexual attention of a persistent o abusive nature, made by a person who knows or ought reasonably to know that such attention is unwanted.

- Implied or expressed promise of reward for complying with a sexually oriented request;
- Implied or expressed threat of reprisal, in
the form either of actual reprisal or the denia of opportunity, for refusal to comply with a sexually oriented request;
- Sexually oriented remarks and behavior which may reasonably be perceived to create a negative psychological and emotional environment for work and study
The Centre functions as a counseling facility serving the entire York community. Its object is to "help the complainant find an avenue to resolve their difficulties," said Jay. Not only is it a complaint centre, but an education facility where ongoing publications are being compiled to form a library for research, she said.
Certain incidents where people are unsure whether they have been victims of sexual harassment may create a reticent attitude towards approaching the Centre, said Jay

She stresses that sexual harassment may "not be in your imagination and proper counseling can define the situation." She said it's up to the complainant to decide which channel, after being given all alternatives, they wish to choose.
"The sexual demand is often from a higherstatus male toward a lower-status female," states the report. Jay said that by no means is sexual harassment limited only to "women or the stereotypical student and professor relationships.


York goliers Wayne Roth and Doug Wilson got an early start this year, courtesy Mother Nature who shone

## Glendon radio moves near pub

## By DOUG LITTLE

Glendon's CKRG-FM radio station was moved to a basement room last week by order of the principal after complaints by the principal and college residence of excessive noise
Paul Charron, a deejay at the station, said he believes the principal's office wanted the station's space for other purposes. The station is now located in a hallway leading to the pub
"Yep, the pubs's to the east and the can's 20
steps to the west. Now we're smack in the centre of everything," said Peter Humble another station deejay, in a recent Ioronto Star
article. article.
"We got new equipment in the deal and we're now heard in the junior common room
and the student's council office, whereas before and the student's council office, whereas before we were heard only at the pub," said Charron Charron said, as well, the purchase of a low considered by student council.
"In any large community where there is a diverse population with people coming together on a daily basis, sexual misunderstandings and harassment are liable to happen," said Jay. The difference today is that sexual harassment is "coming out of the closet-it has been a well kept secret and no people are doing something about it."

During the presidential committee's probing they had often been asked what right the university should have to police the private lives of the university community. "The Centr does not intend to infringe upon the basic rights of consenting adults," said Jay. She said the Centre tries to gather all the facts together and deal with the problem as efficiently a possible and with a minimum of emotional pain. That involves "careful counseling by the Centre's co-ordinator," said Jay. "There are many informal options open to the complainant, as well as the formal ones and these have be explored fully," she said.

The Centre is not an advocate for the victim according to Jay. It attempts to assist people to take the appropriate steps to resolve the proble
said.
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Anyone interested in dropping by the Centre for information or counseling may do so Mondays and Wednesdays 9:30 a,m. to 5:30 p.m., and Thursdays $9: 30$ a.m. to 7 p.m. Phone 667-3500.

## Summerhayes

rides again

## By ROGER NEWLOVE

CYSF President Chris Summerhayes has announced he'll run for a second term in the oming CYSF elections.
"I haven't accomplished everything I wanted to do," Summerhayes said. "My original platform was for a more even distribution of finances. I assumed the CYSF was in good shape, but when I took office I found out we were in debt. This left me with two choices. could either clean up the finances or raise the debt.
Summerhayes said he chose to reduce the debt and brought it down to approximately $\$ 40,000$.
He said he has gained valuable experience during his term as president. "From my nvolvement this year I've seen how disjointed student governments are, so I have some idea on how to pull them together
Summerhayes said he thinks the cys president's term of office should be two years "It takes a good six to eight months to get a fee, of the University and the CYSF organization.
He said he believes it is necessary to maintain He said he believes it is necessary to maintain
some continuity to establish major policies. some continuity to establish major policies.
Summerhayes said he would like to establis a central student building. "I think York needs a central student building. "I think York need a venue for concerts. The dining halls are
inadequate. This building could be used for many things and we could rent it to the many things and we could rent it to ",
university for events such as convocation." Summerhayes said office space in the building could be used to house the offices of the various campus clubs and organizations a well as CYSF.

## news bits

## Job outlook looking better

## By FAY ZALCBERG

University graduates are a lot better off this year, according to Chris McKillop, branch manager of York's employment centre
He said some companies have not recruited on campus in the past few years enough entry level people," said McKillop On-campus recruitment programs have in the past been concentrated in the first term, but this year a number of companies have contacted the employment cenire io implemell," he said.

Recruiters "look less for a specific discipline than for work experience and attitude." According to McKillop, being "willing to work hard" is a highly-prized characteristic.
McKillop said that there "seems to be an
ncreasing interest in a Humanities background" on the part of many employers. The employment prospects for computer science majors has "improved considerably" over last year as well. The computer field has "returned to its normal historical demand," said McKillop.
The MBA student, however, may find himself at a slight disadvantage. MBA graduates are often perceived as "not willing to learn" and often have difficuity be at variance with what they have learned in school, he said.
McKillop recommended that the graduate "know how to translate skills" learned at university to a job situation, and demons

## CPR course

${ }^{\text {By }}$ CARLA CESTA
February is heart month and Atkinson

College is offering a four-hour Cardio The course dwells on chee of charge. The course dwells on the signs and symptoms of heart attacks, the risk factors involved, what to do sor whe to choking victims.
"In Canada over 80,000 people die each year from heart attacks and airway obstruc tions," according to Actions for Survival, Toronto-based organization. "More people die from heart-related diseases than from cancer, accidents, and respiratory diseases.
"Out of 95 full-time staff members, 80 percent are already scheduled to take the course and at least 30 percent of the faculty, according to York student Andrew Zarnett, who's teaching the course.

Alreta Turner, from the office of the college council at Atkinson, and Jame Cameron, associate professor of Geography and director of administration at Atkinson are organizing the program.

For more information contact the Fellows Lounge in Atkinson.

## Other Campuses

## Campus fire

A University of Western Ontario student faces two criminal charges in connection with last month's fire at the University's infamous Saugeen Maitland residence.
London city police have charged Robert Yanush of Toronto with criminal negligence causing bodily harm, and setting fire to a substance likely to cause fire to a building or a structure.
The charges carry a maximum penalty of 10 and five years, respective $1 y$.
The fire was apparently started in a room on the second floor of the high rise with toilet paper and a cigarett lighter. "It's only by God's grace we didn't have 10 to 30 deaths in that fire," said a spokesman for the London fire department. "I've never been so surprised as when I arrived at that fire and found no one had been killed. Five fire fighters and six students were sent to hospital as a result of the blaze Yanush, a third-year social science student, is scheduled to appear in cour for arraignment later this month

University of Western Ontario

## Impaired

The president of the University of Regina, Dr. Lloyd Barber, is facing a charge of operating a motor vehicle while impaired.
The infraction was said to have occurred December 30 in the Regina Beach area.
The charges were read in provincial Court on January 23. The case has been adjourned temporarily
he Carillon
University of Regina

## New SUB

Construction of a student union building at the University of Waterloo is set to begin later this month. The construction contract had been awarded to a Waterloo contracting firm February 7. The Lavern Asmussen Company received the contract whose bid came in $\$ 60,000$ under the proposed $\$ 1.5$ million budget.
Tom Allison, the Federation of
Students president said the building will be open in October.

University of Waterloo

Cafeteria zoo
Centrespot, the University of Western Ontario's central cafeteria, is a "zoo" at meal times according to some professors.
A Finance and Administration official admitted that "Food Services space utilization has reached its limit and we're not sure how to deal with it.' The official added that anothe problem with the crowding in Centrespot stems from students "lingering in the area who are not actually eating. He said his department is currently looking into means of insuring the cafeteria rather than a social meeting place or homework area.

The Gazette University of Western Ontari

## Fall reading

An increase in the number of fall-term half courses at Queen's in the past 10 investigate the possibility of a Fall term reading week.
A committee will look at either moving the entire term back a week to include an early November reading week, or modifying orientation week so that a reading week can be worked in .

The Queen's Journal


## Social Science, Humanities send SOS for research funds

## GRAHAM THOMPSON

York's faculty, student, and administrative bodies are lobbying the federal government for an increase in funding for the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) of Canada.
York's Office of Research Administration, the Senate Committee on Research, the Faculty of Graduate Studies and the Faculty of Arts Student Caucus have corresponded with federal ministers and officials in their attempt to solicit funds from the financially strapped Liberal government.
sshrc funding, which is distributed to universities across Canada, must be approved by a Priorities and Planning committee chaired by the Prime Minister, the federal cabinet and he treasury board. University bodies lobbying or more funds and SSHRC have presented the federal government with a five-year plan designed to provide unemployed post-doctoral students with annual research awards, incre ased support of priority res earch on subjects of national interest," aid to research libraries and smaller universities, and a communication network, said John Layerle, Dean of Graduate Studies at the U of T .
According to Leyerle SSHRC only needs to increase its 1983 -84 budget by $\$ 4$ million to $\$ 60.4$ million in the $1984-85$ school year to meet the goals of their five-year plan.
Bryan Massam, York's Dean of Research, said York is particularly dependent on SSHRC funding since fully 900 of the 1,100 faculty members at York work in fields funded by sshrc, with the remainder being funded primarily by the National Science and Engineering Research Council (NSERC). In addition, York does not have the large endowment funds that older universities such
as the U of T have to fall back on whe
money becomes scarce, Massam said. money becomes scarce, Massam said. York's Dean of Graduate Studies, David Bell, says that if the necessary funding is no forthcoming, "there will be a heavy cost to pay five or 10 years down the road.


Bell referred to a projection by the SSHRC which declares that "after a period of low replacement of faculty (in the social sciences and humanities) in the (1980s social scibers positions will mushroom in the 1990 s.
To help keep the large number of graduating and unemployed post-doctoral social science "large number of faculty retire in the 1990s,"

SHRC hopes to set aside $\$ 5$ million for a postdoctoral research fellowship program. The program would provide "support for up to 20 fellows a year in a amounts of $\$ 25,000$ each, annually," said Leyerle.
Dean Traves said that if the post-doctoral research program is not funded Canada may again be in the undesirable position of having to plunder U.S. universities for faculty members, as happened when the Ontario university system boomed during the 1960s. The SSHRC, with an operating budget of $\$ 56.4$ million, maintains that it is underfunded in comparison to the NSERC, whose budget is $\$ 258$ milion. Leyerle said that while 55 percen of the full time faculinc Canadian univers 12. is funded by serter research funds allocated percent of the Tra
Traves says the disparity between the operating budgets of the sSHRC and NSERC "reflects the federal government's perception of the utility of social science and humanities research. It is easier to sell cancer research to the federal government" than social research, said Traves. Yet, "given the range of social problems in Canada this type of research can problems in Canada t" be just as important," he concluded.
Ralph Nicholls, chairman of York's Senate Rapmittee on Research and director of York's Commer for Research in Experimental Space Science, said that there were at least two reasons for the discrepancies in SSHRC and reasons for the
NSERC's funding.
First, scientific research can be "terribly expensive," according to Nicholls, because of the equipment costs in experiments such as those in nuclear physics.
Second Nicholls said he suspected that the
research (in monetary terms)," as NSERC is Nicholls also said that NSERC has traditionally made a much more concerted effort at lobbying the federal government for funds.
Massam echoed Nicholl's sentiments when he stated that social science and humanities researchers "tend to sit quietly in their offices and libraries not telling the government or public about their work," while NSERC made a "strong case to the government and received significant increases," in funding as a result
Clara Thomas, a York English professor and member of the Senate's graduate research council, said there are other factors that hinder the effectiveness of SSHRC's efforts to obtain funds.
Thomas said SSHRC containes two separate functions: the Canadian Federation of Social Sciences and the Canadian Federation of the Humanitiers. They were both established during the 1940s and thus predate SSHRC which this hierarchical in 197ision of power makes for a "heavy bureaucratic structure" within SSHRC.
Another problem for SSHRC is the system by which they must compete for federal funds. In this "envelope system" SSHRC has to compete for a slice of a fixed budget with such cash starved federal ministries as Health and Welfare, Employment and Immigration, Labor, and Indian and Northern Affairs.
Thomas says that within SSHRC the "humanities are dominated by the social sciences." She went on to say that it is the "responsibility" of hose in the humanities to become more visible and aggressive" in the promotion of their funding needs.


Psychedelia? No, just ice crystals forming on the lens of X-cal photographer Roman Pawlyshyn's camera as it overlooks Stong Pond.

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## Jewett appraises Trudeau

Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau's peace initiative was "too little too late," according to New Democratic Party external affairs critic Pauline Jewett, speaking at Osgoode's Moot Court last Wednesday
Jewett, the New Westminister-Coquitlam MP who represented the NDP at last month's opening of the Stockholm Conference, said she was "very glad" that Trudeau was able to talk peace with new Soviet leader Constantine Chernenko, but she criticized the prime minister for taking a peace initiative now and not five years ago.
Jewett also speculated that Trudeau will retire. "My guess is that the prime minister will advise us of his retirement within two or three weeks and the Liberals will begin to search for a new leader," she said.
In her speech, Jewett focused on the question of cruise missile testing, calling it "Canada's particular touchstone on the whole nuclear issue." She criticized the Liberal government's sanctioning of cruise missile testing in Alberta and called the Liberals "totally dishonest" and
"immoral" to say that our hands are clean of
nuclear involvement.
She said Trudeau's peace initiative went largely unnoticed at the Stockholm Conference, partially because it was not seen as being independent of the interests of the big military blocs.
Despite the impression created by the Canadian media, the prime minister's globetrotting peace efforts were overshadowed at Stockholm, Jewett said. In Stockholm, "everyone is talking initiatives," most prominently the West Germans, and Trudeau received little attention in the press there, she said.
Jewett suggested some initiatives her party would like to see Canada take.
Foremost of her proposals was that Canada refuse to allow cruise missile testing. The government should provide more funding for disarmament research and should not support the manufacture of nuclear weapon components, she said. Jewett also suggested restrictions on trade in uranium and conventional arms, a pledge by NATO members not to use nuclear weapons first, and a global referendum on disarmament.


BREWING ITRGHT.

## Soft pornography not so harmless

Recently, Excalibur received a spate of letters to the editor on the issue of pornography. The author of one such letter suggested that Playboy magazine is a harmless publication and that its readers are merely looking at beautiful women.

We disagree.
In fact, Playboy is the most insidious of pornographic material-it may seem innocent compared to some of its competitors, yet it's a strong part of an industry which seeks to retain men's dominance over women and portray human beings as things.
This type of pornography is not as blatantly hurtful as the obvious instances where women are shown being beaten, bound, or raped (and enjoying it).

To further add to the facade of harmlessness, Playboy publishes articles by respected writers, offering its readers the perfect excuse to buy it: "I only read it for the excellent writing." Readers think they're getting a taste of the sophisticated 1980s lifestyle.
But still, there is a very clear message relayed to consumers of all types of pornography, and the message is this: Women are but playthings of men, to be admired only when they are (at least close to) air-brushed perfect, do not speak (except to heap praise on "their man"), and care only for their outward appearance.
There is no reference to the personalities, intelligence, or opinions on issues such as politics or finance ("men's realms") of these women. Isn't that the most important part of a human being?
We do not advocate full censorship. We recognize that erotica can be an important part of an individual's sexuality. Images portraying sexual acts between or among consenting adults in a spirit of sharing and caring should not be censored.
But when human beings are exploited and used merely as objects, we must draw the line. In order for women to be treated as three-dimensional people, they must no longer be considered in one dimension-on the pages of Playboy.

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## the question

${ }^{\text {by }}$ STUART MOSCOE
In the coming CYSF elections, you will be asked if you would pay $\$ 2$ on top of your tuition to help fund Radio York. Would you support this?


Steve Hodges, Psych I "Yes. I pay $\$ 250$ for questionable teaching tactics; I don't have any doubts about paying $\$ 2$ to listen some relaxing music


Francis Cantisano, Business II "No. I feel that there's too much bureaucracy in this school and Radio amount.


Loryanne Facca, French II "Yes. I feel that it's important to support school activities, especially i it's for a worthy cause,


John Thomas, Grad History "No. There's adequate money for student services and to my knowledge, Radio York has not demon
trated a special claim on students.


Antonella Fabbro, Italian II Yes. $\$ 2$ is not an exorbitant amount to pay to have a radio station.


Dennis De Souza, Physics II "Yes. Radio York is for students and the campus needs a force to tie th student body together."

## HONEY POT RANCH

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## Unclear letter

Editor:
The letter from Keith C. Boulter (Excalibur, 9 February) regarding his friend who could not gain admission to York, was unclear on a number of points. I would like to put those points and issues into perspective. believes his friend who had earned a grade 13 average of $59 \%$ should be dmitted because St. Andrew's College (where his friend had attended) is a prestigious institution. Granted, some high schools (both private and public) are more academically inclined, and consequently grades cannot always be weighted equally. This would lead us to a weighted system which is difficult to establish and maintain, as it is very udgemental, or alternatively, prov-nce-wide final exams and provincewide centrally established curricula. However, the latter option would not allow for regional variations and individual variations among teach ers. This standardization of teach ing, would remove the raison d'etre for teachers.
The third alternative is a standardized university acceptance examalthough this favors those who are intellectually gifted over those who are prepared to work hard. Succes -academic, or otherwise-is combination of both factors (inspiration and perspiration). Are any of these systems better?

Boulter reiterates his point by stating that " 46 percent of all high power executives in Canada come through the private school system and not from some " ' $\$ 4.00$ ' Public High School." A principle of democracy is to foster success-anyone can be successful through their own merits; it is merely a matter of trying. Everyone, in theory, has an equal chance. Boulter is arguing that those who attend private school should be given preferential treatment, as this minority of students will ultimately achieve greater success than those from the public school system. This would create a two-tiered system, which would be most undemocratic
Those select individuals who were lucky enough to attend private schools should be given priority in admission over the majority who did not. A private school education is
usually superior to one from a ' $\$ 4.00$ ' Public High School" (which may become their annual operating budget is Boulter had his way), but why does this discrepancy exist? Because private schools feature smaller classes, hence more demand may be placed on the student. We should strive to eliminate this disparity by transforming the high school curicula to one more academically rigorous. However, this necessitates that we provide more funds to education, to reduce clas size and allow ror and result in approa h. This public sesul syster but its product would have a better but instanding of the world in which undey live. This intellectual arousal has been relegated from the high has been relgated frome the schools sho the the sties generally do not receive any ities generaliy do motrece any instruction itical science, procial ophy, porience. This will, therefore, lead to not only a better educated populous, but one which would take increasing butonest in the world around them Bouter, in the short run your friend might try to take some course friend mighon College at night, and if at Atkinson Collge ary grades the he receives exemplary grades the admitance ente (as you put it) may reconsiderear reconsider your mearsh judgement of an educational harsh judgestem that can remain politically stable only if all members pore (theoretically) oiven an equal re (theoretically soly onskills and not on parental ability to afford a private education.

## Appreciation

Editor:
I would like to express my appreciation and sincere thanks to both the York Security Service and to Terry Conlin, President of the GSA, for extending themselves beyond the call of duty during my recent pre- and post-surgery emergencies.
It is difficult to translate into words the supportive and reassuring one behind Terry's words: "don't worry, I am here, call if you need anything." Thank you Terry. Not only Terry the President of the GSA but Terry the person, a fellow graduate student.

Bapai Batliwalli

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# Creative writing Prof ventures from security of University <br> preoccupied with urban life. Her third book, soon to be <br> owever, is prostitution of the pen: "You don't put your 

Whether non-fiction or journalism veteran York writer Grovier meets social controversies head on

## ${ }^{\text {By }}$ PAUL PIVATO

"In Canada contemporary writing is hooked into the university system," says Katherine Govier, a workshop teacher in York's Creative Writing Program. It's becoming a bit incestuous.
In university circles, literary incest amounts to professors criticizing, editing, and teaching each other's work. In her second year at York, Govier is one of the few writers not tied to academia. When it comes to paying the bills, Govier relies mostly on profits from the sale of her fiction and free-lance journalism.
After graduating from York in 1972 with a master's degree in English, Govier spent a year testing out the acid waters of the fiction market. A few years later she quit a part-time teaching job and became a self-supporting writer.
Govier is currently working on her third novel, which deals with the 1889 murder of a Cree prostitute in a Calgary hotel. "The incident seems to me very emblematic of what happened in the West," she explains.
whose backs they were built."
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Although Canadian literature may be largely associated
Although Canadian literature may be largely associated
with wheat field tales, much of Govier's fiction is
published by Penguin, is a collection of stories about young people newly arrived in Toronto. "We're quite hung up with the nineteenth century, she says. II don't think we've gone far enough into the city. The novels that are coming out of Alberta, for instance, are still about farms and Indian

Although her roots are in the West, Govier has lived in Toronto, England, and the U.S."I'm becoming a kind of rootless person," she explains, "which I don't think
thing for a writer. You see things with fresh eyes."
Govier's first novel, Random Descent, received excellent Govier's hrst novel, Random Descent, received excelient book about a Tronto stripper, got mixed reactions. She felt book about a the criticism was tainted with moral bias. One critic asked if the stripper was a worthwhile character to read cricut "She wasn't such a nice girl" says Govier, grinning "bout. "She wasn't such a nice girl" "but I k
Last October, Quest published a controversial profile of Henry Morgentaler by Govier. Like all her non-fiction pieces, the Morgentaler article was writtern in the first person and marked by her keen psychological insight and wry humor. Free of ethical ranting, Gorier grappled often portrayed in the media as either saint or of a ma
villain.
Rather than disparage the buy and sell world of free-lance journalism, Govier likens it to the more hallowed craft of fiction: "In non-fiction and the novel, what is important to me is the investigation." What Govier does condemn,
writing in the service of something you don't believe in just for monetary gain. I don't think you can divorce your writing bility from what you believe.,
Govier feels that many tired and trodden areas of fiction can be refreshed by a feminine perspective. "People write out of their lives. You can't escape gender classification as a writer, and I don't really think that you should because we've gone past the point where the differences in women's writing are considered as failures or weaknesses. Women are starting o approach the subject of violence now, which is really good because it will be done differently."
Despite the success she has enjoyed, Govier is forever changing and learning. "I'm still finding out how to write, pushing my craft further, searching for new styles. Some people learn how to write a certain book, and that's the book they keep writing. I don't want that."
And whereas a lot of contemporary fiction has discarded plot in favor of intellectual word juggling and structural technique, Govier remains more traditional. The essence of her writing is human emotion: "I write about emotional subjects with a certain degree of detachment, hoping to crystallize what those events are to me, yet seeking to provoke anything but detachment in the reader."
But Govier doesn't want to be so easily categorized:I'm not a regional writer. I'm really a commercial writer. I'm a literary writer, and yet I do a lot of journalism. I can't be pinned." Which, in the long run, suits Katherine Govier just pine.
fine

Pauline McGibbon Cultural Center -

By Janice mcclaren

The Pauline McGibbon Cultural Centre is currently hosting an-exhibition of some refreshing York talent. A number of York's fourth year visual arts students have absorbing show which includes a wide variety of style and technique.
The large walls and spacious setting help complement each work. A pleasant change from York's IDA gallery. Each new style breaks the mental pace of the viewer, providing him with a fresh reaction for each work. The works range from abstract to realistic renderings, bold to sombre hues. With the mediums
ranging from traditional oils to leather and wood sculptures, it is very difficult to be bored with the exhibition.
Highlights include Margaret Chen's untitled piece with suggestive yet restrained coloring and a pleasant unity of form, materials, and canvas size. Alfred Wong's sculpture/painting pieces entitled "Close-Coupled" appear to overuse the materials and the cluttered effect takes away from the viewer's appreciation of the works. The two diamond-shaped pieces have two faces. They are paintings that can be walked around and although this is enjoyable, they still seem overworked.
Color is explored to the fullest by the students. Unfortunately, some of the paintings appear exhausted by color. Tim Noonan's

## York Visual Arts students' showcase

"Extrinsic Celebration" is colored vibrantly. It races with a preoccupation with pure primary and secondary hues, somewhat drowning out the form. The strong use of color in Andrew McPhail's untitled piece is disturbing and almost garishly trendy. Yet the work carries with it an ambiguous sense of emotion that arrests the viewer's attention.
Two paintings displayed along the staircase, Gary Clement's "Cave Dwellers" and Shawna Earle's untitled painting act as complements to each other. Their atmospheric tones and use of color show well together. Shawna Earle's scratchy application of paint enhances the weightiness of the sombre hues and mystifying characters.
from a technical standpoint although some of the artists seem to lack in some basic drawing skills. Ultimately, this failing becomes irrelevant, the works being carried by the artists' uniqueness of perception.
It is a refreshing change to experience these works outside the restrictive boundaries of the York galleries. Only a taste of each artist, though, seems not enough. One can expect more extensive displays of these talents at some major Toronto galleries in the near future. (The Pauline McGibbon Cultural Centre is located at 86 Lombard Street (near Queen and Church). A public reception will be held Saturday, February 25 from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. The artists will be present to discuss their work.)

Liquid Sky has impressive cinematography, but pathetic script ruins film

Liquid Sky<br>Bloor Cinema

## By W.E. OVERTON

Liquid Sky has many qualities that should make it a good film. Its characters are mainly drawn from a contemporriters, Anne Carlisle, plays both the female and male lead characters. The introduction of aliens from space into the plo may seem frivolous, but they create an intriguing parallel to the Soviet emigrés who made the film after coming to New York eight years ago. The music in the film is good and the cinematography is exemplary. But Liquid Sky is not the film it promises to be, mainly because it is poorly written.
The characters from the counterculture are vacant unbelievable and contrived. Their style suggests that they are striving for glamor but they only succeed in being garish. The subculture revolves around sex, flash, and drugs ("liquid sky" slang for heroin).
The "straight" world intervenes in the form of stereotyped characters such as a nymphomaniac, an atrophied professor, and a single-minded German scientist who is observing the aliens to the exclusion of everything going on around him.
When most of the major characters havebeen killed at the end of the film one feels no sympathy for any of them. All impact that such a conclusion may have had is lost.
The film chronicles 36 hours in the life of Margaret, a model in this gaudy fringe. An alien spacecraft has landed on the roof of the penthouse she shares with Adrienne, her female lover. The aliens have chosen this location because they are attracted to an opiate produced in the brain at the point of orgasm and to heroin (the two are supposed to have a similar chemical
composition). Margaret's apartment is a plentiful source of both composition
Margaret has a problem with people giving her unsolicited opinions on what she wants and what she should do. After the aliens kill the professor (a glass spike in his head when he and Margaret are in a sexual embrace), Margaret believes she has the power to kill people this way. She then dispatches most of the major characters in this manner and they dematerialize shortly afterwards. The only thing that allows her to survive is that she takes longer to orgasm. When the spacecraft is preparing to leave, and it has been revealed to her what the atiens have been attracted to, she injects herself with a large quantity of heroin
and implores them to take her along with them. They do, and who cares?
The dialogue in Liquid Sky is trite. Some of it can be excused


Thrilling scene from Liquid Sky. Beware!!!
because excessive swearing is a part of the subculture but it goes much deeper than that. Lines like "I have a killer cunt, it's so fashionable" cannot be taken seriously no matuer hew estly they are presented.
There is much to commend the film's cinematography, however. The shots of an airplane flying at night and the
buildings of the city are spectacular. The Empire State Building buildings of the city are spectacular. The Empire State Building is carefully photographed to once again become an icon
representing New York. Although the costumes add to the representing New York. Although the costumes add to the gaudiness of the characters they also make for very colorful and
lively images on the screen. The special effects are very
ppropriately used to depict the aliens' view of what is occuring the apartment and their focus on the opiate producer in the
brain. Sisure Tirector Director Slava Tsukerman, and director of photography Yur Nyman, both graduated from the Moscow Film Institute and is the first feature Tsukerman has directed. There are obviously very talented people behind the cameras on Liquid Sky Liquid Sky was made for under $\$ 500,000$-a shoestring by oday's standards. You can't help wondering what the film might have been with a better script and more money.

## York prof featured at U of T's Music in Space Concert

## Electronic musicians explore their medium

The Space Age is a term currenty undergoing an eclipes: ne hears $i$ itess frequenty than in the pasas as swe concenrate more on down-tocarth problems. And ye, musial composers have been concerenced with space, in not outer space (like Sun Ra and Anthony Braxton) then at least the space surrounding their audiences. Almost five centuries before the advent of stereophonic sound, composers in Venice were creating their own "a
spaced church choirs.
In the past 30 years, the main seedbeds of spatial experimentation in music have been "electronic music" and the tape medium. Last Sunday's sold-out Music in Space concert a U of T's Hart House, probably the best attended of this season New Music Concerts series, presented four recent works of electronic and live music that explore this dimension.
The highlight of the evening was the world premiere of York electronic music studio director and composition professo Phillip Warren's Hurricaneum. This was, in the composer's words, a "sonic play about forces and their effects," performed by seven musicians, conductor and electronic tape.

The 41-year-old Werren has taught at York since 1977. Prio to that he was composer-in-residence at Simon Fraser University. He studied composition and electronic music at Yale and Princeton, as well as in Poland and Germany, in the 1960 s Werren has composed electronic music for film, mime, dance and theatre.
His Tellurian premiered last year at the O'Keefe Centre as the musical partner to a ballet choreographed by Linda Rabin. Another music and dance work, Pandora's Box (for which Werren created a special box that colorfully lit up in intricat patterns), has been performed by Savannah Walling i

## Dancer just wants to create

"I

${ }^{\text {By }}$ LINDA JANASZ I stopped creating I would die. If this was just a dream, then nothing would

happen. You must be willing to fight, work and sweat for what you want. In 1973, Paul-Andre Fortier made a his bachelor's de dancer. He had and was teaching at a college in Quebec, but decided to put dancing before academia. Now, at 35 Fortier has one of Canada's most renowned avant-garde dance companies.
'I now express my creativity through communication; it is something alive.


Fortier

I shock them and make them laugh. It is hrough body movement that the audience feels' what I am putting across to them Human beings are always, changing. We fight agains that change on one hand, and want it on another. When we re alraid
back to traditional values back to traditional values. Chatr, Award for Chor Chalmer's Award for Choreography. At the time, the founding chairman of York Univers ity's dance department sald that Fortier's work
was "very strong, explicit and sexual-almost disturbing-but also remarkably clear, theatrical and original." Fortier believes that there is cal and original. Fortier believes that there is
much tension that exists within our society much tension that exists within our society
"Through my work I explore this theme. I try "Through my work I explore this theme. I try
to put my finger on it. Sometimes it tickles. to put my finger on
sometimes it hurts.
sometimes it hurts
After Fortier's decision to become a dancer in 1973, he dedicated most of his time to this pursuit. He studied at the Les Grandes Ballet Canadiens then worked as a dancer for seven years. "I was able to make dancing my sole professional endeavor. Also, 1 was very fortunate to do something that I truly loved In 1980, he began his own company. that time, they have toured Europe, Can sen a year in Paris working with Michel Caserta and dancing the leading role in Visage de and dancing the teade, the troupe took part in the Okanada Festival in Berlin and last the Okanada Festival in Berliwhere they October traveled performed in Mexico's international Cervatino performed
Festival. 1 know that I am very fortunate that 1 did not start dancing unit al walues. Therefore, this embrace the traditional values. Therefore, You is an experimented at zero."
see, I really started an
Fortier Danse-Creation will be performing at the Winchester Street Theatre through Saturday at 8 p.m., with a 2 p.m. matinee Sunday. Tickets at the sall $967-1365$.


## O.D. yes, but paradise it's not

Theatre Passe Muraille
Closes March 11

## By JASON SHERMAN

Tfirst thing that's difficult to under land about O.D. on Paradise is how-in the name of all that's sensible-1t won Play of 1983 . The second is why has Theatre Passe Muraille gone to all the trouble of bringing the outside inside when the play would work just as badly in a non-natural setting? The third is why anyone would find it funny or touching or metaphoric or any of the
other things it tries to unsuccessfully to be. other things it tries to unsuccessfully to be. interlocked skits about eight Torontonians acationing in Jamaica. Unfortunately, all that holds the scenes together are the characterswe might as wel be watching a three-hour Love
Boat. There are four couples who all have Boat. There are four couples who all have
problems dealing with each other and with problems dealing with each other and with themselves, but there is nothing new or even
interesting about any of the conflicts. One interesting about any of the conflicts. One
character is ambitious; another, anxious character is ambitious; another, anxious; another, conscientious, and so on. Each has one or two sppeches to reveal his or her
problem, and through the course of the second problem, and through the course of the ser The central conflict seems to involve Vic daddy's boy of about 30 who has come with hi wife, father, and step-mother to unwind. This is
supposed to be something like dramatic irony supposed to be something like dramatic irony
because while he's unwinding everyone else is because while he
getting uptight.
But Vic seems to be the central characte only because the play's amateurish symbolism is most analogous to his struggle. He wants to attain "manhood," we suppose. Near the star he finds a conch which, we are told, instinctive ly crawls forth into the hot sun and burns to death-so Vic kills it. Oooh, wonder if that's
foreshadowing anything.

Hurricaneum - which was also presented yesterday afternoon at McLaughlin for those who missed it Sunday-follows Warren's tendency in recent years toward using strong tonal centres and diatonic scales. The core of the work, a section subtitled "The Eye" was built around a single chord, while a feeling of movement and breath was created by the simultaneous解 structures in space." (The two pianos, for example, tuned an almost imperceptibly small interval apart)
The theatrical element of Hurricaneum was partially successedly being chaneled through the musicians (in addition providing an amusing spectacle). In their initial entrance, for example, the two percussionists, wearing dark sunglasses and Sony Walkmans made their way throug the audience, slowly rotating and tapping the air around them with mallets. Later the other players also donned sunglasses and headphones; listening to their own personal tapes of earlier sections of the piece they the conductor (who left the players in feigned disgust) and the audience.
The resultant flurry of musical activity ("Leaving the Eye" and "Aftermath") maintained an overall form through it musical references to "the Eye." Throughout, Hurricaneum generated a sense of movement and energy, at times exhilerating in its rich and vibrant sonorous wash of sound.
Composer Werren feels a very strong bond with the Western art music tradition-this was obvious from the lovingly-quaint string trio opening suggestive of 19th Century pastoral English music. But he also recognizes the pervasive influence of technology in our day. Everything's electronic music," says heard has been tampered with electronically," Some basic heard has been tampered with electronically. Some basic understanding of this is necessary for composers in our age
Werren maintains. Tecren maintains.
Technology has also freed music from the fixed positioning of
ensequently, elect a kind of invisible architecture in time." Werren says he directs his students owards an appreciation of the sculptural possibilities of sounds and digital technology
The three other works performed at Sunday night's concert concentrated on acoustic, instrumental sounds, both live and prerecorded. The piece that, according to organizaers, initially attracted much of the audience, was Steve Reich's "Vermont Counterpoint": twelve minutes of intricately rhythmic, kaleidoscopic, delicate flute patterns, with flutist and artistic director of the New Music Concert series Robert Aitken playing a solo flute line in tandem with ten prerecorded flute, alto flute and piccolo parts. One may wonder why the live performer was necessary at all if his contribution consisted in merely reproducing a part that could have easily been prerecorded with the others. Nevertheless, Reich's familiar lightly-pulsating muscial patterns, though more concentrated and precise than in past works, provoked a drugless, meditative high, enhanced somewhat by the almost cathedral-like ambience of the hall. Canadian compsers Jan Jarvlepp and John Rea revealed a similar interest in multi-leveled patterns and rhythmic correspondences, though their pieces utilized larger groups of musicians. In Jarvlepp's "Time Zones," "traditional melody and harmony don't exist at all" according to the composer, "but are replaced by an interest in dissimilar temporal relationships and their resulting "friction." The 17 musicians were spaced at various locations throughout the hall, presumably relationships could be heard by all, though this hardly redeemed the work from its academic tedium.
Reressionistic musical prik" ("staircase music") was an impressionic artist M.C. Escher. Symmetrical patterns, cang to the graphic are dic. Ese descending loops, cascading spirals repetitions, ascending and descending loops, cascading spirals playground of kaleidoscopic pleasures "Treppenmusik" was at playground or kateidoscopic pleasures. "Treppenst "Time was ", times quite delightful, but for the most part, like
it suffered from a lack of form and direction.

again, until Vic's epitaph: "He just burned up." Equally silly is the parade of phallic symbols in vic's hands- a knife, a bamboo shoot, snorkel and goggle can't escape the overattentive eyes of the writers. If all this means with his epiphany, and his death makes no with his epiphany, and his death makes The first step for co-writers Linda Griffiths and Patrick Brymer is reducing the number of characters and making the remaining ones interesting. The second is to make some sense of this nonsense that jumps from story to story from public outcry to individual angst, from (not very funny) comedy to (not very good) melodrama. Third, they should forget the whole thing, return their award and make a public apology undone himself yet again. The play claims to run on Jamaican time, which might be slow but certainly his production. At times the slow pacing could Chekhovian non-action to a more topical Chekhovian non-action to a more topical Chekhov is in making the audience squirm in their seats, and that from the unnecessarily raised temperatures in the theatre
The acting isn't much help, either, Layne Coleman is as dull and non-present as he was when he tried to destroy Hamlet a couple months back. There seems to be a one-man Layne Coleman Fan Club at Passe Muraille who cries "bravo" after his opening nigh performances. This opening didn't need congratulation during the curtain call to make congratulation dur

## applause redundant

ere is anything positive to say abou O.D. on Paradise, about its script, it production, or its relevance, it has been left ou effort and money.

Produced/directed by York film grad

John Kim Bell is, in the words of the promotional brochure, 'a cinematic portrait of the first North American Indian to establish a career as a symphony conductor." Such
an announcement seems somewhat crass in an announcement seems somewhat crass in
light of John Kim Bell's own condemnation of associating his heritage with his professional associating his heritage with his professional
position. Fortunately the film itself never position. Fortunately the film itself never
exploits the cultural status of the subject. exploits the cultural status of (he subject.
Instead, this short documentary ( 37 minutes) celebrates those qualities of talent and integrity which occasioned John Kim Bell's rise in the world of music.
Director-producer Anthony Azzopardi, who graduated from York in 1976 after studying thearre and film, delivers the standard Film Board) consisting of candid interviews, photographs and reminiscenses about the early years, and a dramatic presentation of the subject staisond etre, in this case, conducting a symphoing Azopado shas icter
and fundamental dignity. Thankfully there are no gratuitous digressions into sensational relevations or behind-the-scenes confessions. Portraits of success, however eclectic the subject, seem to inspire an innate curiosity. John Kim Bell examines those attributes of character which permit a man to conduct his life from the top of the ladder
Azzopardi is currently negotiating with CBC and PBS for distribution of the film. He and Kim Bell recently spoke with Excalibur about the making of John Kim Bell.
Q: How valuable was your work at York in establishing a career as a filmmaker?
Azzopardi: I was in both the film and the theatre departments ... I did a split major so to speak. Both the editor and the cameraman on this film are graduates of York University. So I have kept in contact with people from York Q: How did you finance the film?
Azzopardi: It took about a year and a half to get the financing. Initially: I went ahead with the filming even though I didn't have all the money in place. I was short at least thirty percent of the total budget. Most of the money Fortunately the National Film Board

Montreal came through with an Assistance Program. There was no money involved but they did provide lab services. In Toronto, the NFB suppled editing facilities. I did get a minimum of funding from the Native Community Branch which is part of the Ontario Ministry of Culture and Recreation. The Ministry of Indian Affairs did not put any money into the film. I find this upsetting and

Q: In the film you condemn the notion of being known as an "Indian conductor," yet in most of the publicity you are portrayed as such. Can you reconcile the problem?
Bell: Indian conductor? I want it also to be known that I conduct Russians, Italians, and Jews! No, but obviously that is what the press likes to pick up on. Because it's interesting to the general public, it is not "anothe do get tired of
Q:The film briefly examines your work in New York City. Is the conducting of Broadway shows only a minor point in developing your career? Bell: I do work in New York only to make money-to pay the rent. That is all.
Q: Do you feel the film was successful in Qapturing the essence of your work?


Bell: It's difficult to say. I don't know if such a thing is ever possible. But obviously the film catches you at your best moments. I think one development of a career, as the film does... the hard work that is necessary


## Ulmer delivers complex musical fusion

James Blood Ulmer
Larry's Hideaway February 10

## By RICHARD UNDERHILL

$66 \square$usion" commonly refers to the commercial co-
mingling of jazz and rock music that has sprung to mingling of jazz and rock music that has sprung to the forefront of instrumental pop in the past decade The concept, however, is not new and thankfully not merely a
marketing strategy concocted by tin-ear industrialists in pursuit marketing strategy concocted by tin-ear industrialists in pursuit of gold and platinum. On the cory the formulation of new and musical styles is a primary step in the formulation of new with xciting music. James Blood Ulse, wo appeared ocenty with his trio at Larry's Hideaway, is a good example of a play hose musi ry idioms
Ironically, Ulmer's garb gave a pretty clear indication of his musical direction. Imagine the torso of an avant-garde jazzman (complete with African skullcap and fowing colorful shirt) grafted onto the lower body of a sourthernurban blues player from the hollowbody guitar right downto the baggy whie pans and shoes-and you have a of 1 musical influences. Ulmer's appearance but also of his musical influences.
Raised in the southern U.S., Ulmer's early experiences were primarily with gospel and blues. The late 1950 s and ' 60 s saw him playing guitar on the road with various organ trios. Tiring of the road and hoping to broaden his musical horizons, Blood moved to New York in the early 1970s and, with the help of jazz playing that attempted to incorporate his many diverse
intluences. Labeling his music alternately Punk Jazz, Harmolodic Diatonic Funk and most recently No Wave, Ulmer's fusion of folk/blues spirit with complex free-blowing techniques gleaned from Coleman gained him popularity in Europe and America.
Working with an odd and rather sparse palette of instrumental resources-violin, drums and guitar-Ulmer opened the first set on his recent Toronto visit with a frenetic free improvisation punctuated by unison groups shots. The small improvisation punctuated by unison groups shots. The small with a high energy, high volume outburst. The intensity level with a high energy, high volume outburst. The intensity level
plummeted, however, when Ulmer lapsed into one of several plummeted, however, when Ulmer lapsed into one of several mouthful of cotton, Ulmer sacrificed much of his fine guitar solo mouthful of cotton, Ulmer sacrificed much of his fine guitar solo although Charles Burnham on violin adequately filled the although Charles Bucceeding vocal number one felt the performance saging, Ulmer's short outbursts of uniquely percussive guitar teasing but failing to deliver.
Although obviously well-rehearsed, Ulmer's concert seemed
Although fire and daring essential to the success of performance of this nature. Potential highlights of the eveningperformand by wiolinist Burnhamwere rather flat, Benbow sacrificing interest for intensity and Burnham ending confused rambling of notes by pandering to Burnham endigg a , Ulmer's relaxed, unintelligible inging.
One felt that there was a great reservoir of talent and ingenuity eft untouched-had the potential of the performers been xploited the evening could have been an unforgettable success rather than a mere happening.

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## Schizophrenic movie needs analysis

Latitude 55
Directed by John Juliani
Carlton Cineplex

## By TIM LAW

$T$atitude 55 is schizophrenic-it appears to be one film but is in reality a mish-mash of several. The film opens with a raging blizzard in Alberta and Wanda, played by Andrée Pelletier, is stranded in a car fighting to keep warm. She finally passes out and is rescued sometime later by Josef (August Schellenberg), who takes her back to his lonely log cabin.
In the next two hours we learn that Wanda is a pampered 30 -year-old government employee who is married to a man of God. Josef, on the other hand, is now who he claims he is-an ignorant Polish potato farmerbut is in fact an Indian medicine man, a linguist, and allround man of culture. The rest of the encounter eventually strips both of their false personas. Or does it? Herein lies the problem-one can never get a clear

## picture of what the film is trying to do. It seems to say

 everything and nothing at all at the same time. Maybe director John Juliani (who also co-wrote the script) wanted to make a 1980s version of those Nelson Eddy and Jeanette Macdonald films about blizzards, heros, and heroines in distress. One gets all of this (without the love songs) in Latitude 55, but unlike Nelson and Jeanette this film also aspires to be profound. The result is a series of excruciatingly long silences punctuated by cryptic dialogue in umpteen different languages. The dominant question in the viewer's mind is, what is this all in aid of? Had the writers decided exactly what they wanted toconvey they might have been able to save this film. One of convey they might have been able to save this film. One of the highs is August Schellenberg, whose performance as Josef is both intriguing and graceful. On the other hand,
Andrée Pelletier his obviously miscast as Wanda and Andrée Pelletier his obviously miscast as Wanda and
never really makes us care about her character. With only never really makes us care about her character. With only
two characters in the film it is too much to ask two characters in the film it is too much to ask
Schellenberg to carry the mess. Latitude 55 tries too hard Schellenberg to carry the mess. Latitude 55 tries too hard to be all things to all people-it needs more than a shrink to figure it out.

## Dutch film is a bleak study of society

Spetters
directed by Paul Verhoeven opens Mar. 2 at the Carleton

By CATHERINE ASTLEY SUDDS

The new Dutch film Spetters has lots of spirit and passion
and, like its lead actress, and, like its lead actress,
". It is, however, a depressing "guts." It is, however, a depressing strikes home and leaves you feeling bruised and edgy. It lacks the pungent irony and truly shocking quality of such recent German films as Christiane F and The Tin Drum but, like a huge canvas daubed with loud colors and ungainly figures, conveying all too clearly the
extent of human anguish.
extent of human anguish.
This story of three boys growing up in a small Dutch town has a universal quality. It concerns their growth to maturity and loss of innocence from adolescence to adulthood. Director Paul Verhoeven relates incidents with uncensored explicitness-a trademark of his work. Many of the film's scenes are scripted from accounts of actual events related to him by young people on the street


Fientje
The three boys of the film's main action are all keen motocross fans, the arrogant but dashing Gerrit Witcamp (Rutger Hauer)-soon to be the new World Champion-being their ultimate hero. While at the races the three meet high-spirited Fientje (Renee Soutendijk) who they

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dub "the French fry girl." She is an opportunistic, saucy blonde, with whom they all become immediately fascinated. Fientje is romantically linked with all three boys in turn. This is a suitably uncompromising study of a head-strong woman determined to raise herself above the French fry grease. She compulsively pores over her horoscope in a magazine, hoping for hints of what she is certain is an impending lucky break. Fientje flaunts and flirts, but she does not present a romantic view of a peroxide blonde; she is also aptly coarse and tough-looking, the tart insensitive to all but her own wellbeing.
This film deals with such contemporary subjects as adolescent sex and homosexuality, religious fantacism, and hooliganism without squeamishness, made all the more telling by the believability of the characters and situations. The film gives a bleak view of society but it is not without liveliness, fast action and humor. It is a strange combination. Spetters is Paul Verhoeven's fourth majo feature, the earlier three including Turkish Delight having all gained international acclaim on release

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## York cancels Blues

${ }^{\text {By }}$ MARK ZWOLINSKI
The York Volleyball Yeomen are solemnly enjoying their newlyacquired roles as table turners in the Ontario University Athletic Association (OUAA) circuit this year.
It started with your basic team turnaround back in early January: a solid effort in the Excalibur Classic Volleyball tourney saw them finish an impressive second to Ball State in the championship final.
The latest installment includes a three games to one victory over their cross-town rivals U of T in the oUAA East Division final last Saturday night at the Tait Gym.
"It's the best we've played since the Excalibur Tournament," said coach Wally Dyba. "Now's the time to be playing well and we're coming up with the efforts we need."

The latest win accomplishes a host of good things, the most notable of which reverses last year's results in the very same ouaA East final. -The Blues downed the Yeomen in three straight games ending a sixyear reign York had held on that particular title.
But this year's win reflected the not-so-new look Yeomen making strides towards a return to the top of the OUAA, another title that has been synonymous with their name.

The 1984 season so far has been a rollercoaster affair for coach Wally Dyba.
After a strong surge in the Excalibur Classic, York ventured through both ends of the spectrum.

They upped their league leading record to a 13 -2 mark while discharging any notions of a Blues jinx by taking four of the six meetings between the two teams this year
In the process the Yeomen, who were not ranked in the ciau at Christmas, jumped onto the national charts at the number seven position.
Howeve However, they mixed in a pair of consolation championships at Laval and Dalhousie during which Dyba admitted "we could have played better. "We've been struggling," Dyba said, "At times we've played well and at others we've looked bad. We're going through a peaking process right now. The way we planned it this year was to play well at this time. It looks like our plans are coming through at the right time." type of effort Dyba has been looking for in recent weeks. Several Yeomen chipped in with solid all-rounds efforts. Walter
Zanel led the way with 18 kills, 9 digs, 19 block, and two service aces. Zanel led the way with 18 kills, 9 digs, 19 block, and two service aces.
Brian Davis and Bruce Burt each had 15 kills while Burt added Brian Davis and Bruce Burt each hac
another 16 digs and four blocks. Excalibur Classic MvP Dave Samek put in his usual day's work with

## Clockwork for York cagers

By MARK ZWOLINSKI The York Yeomen Basketball team took another step towards a berth in the ouAa championships Tuesday night when they dumped the Carleton Ravens 110-67 in the east division semi-final before 300 fans at the Tait gym.
Ranked second in the nation to the Victoria Vikings, York posted a perfect 14-0 regular season finish, and going back to their first crown in and playoff meetings with division and plat
rivals.

They host the division final tomorrow night against either the Ottawa Gee Gees or Laurentian Voyageurs who met in the second half of the division semi Tuesday. Forward Grant Parobec, who played his last regular season home game in Saturday's 115-53 drubbing over RMC, led York in scoring with over RMC,
22 points.
The $190 \mathrm{~cm}\left(6^{\prime} 3^{\prime \prime}\right)$ Computer Science major, graduating after five seasons as a starter with the Yeomen, regular season with a 17.8 points per game clip.
garobec's forward counterpart Tim Rider, a third-year Economics student, enjoyed one of his more accurate shooting games, netting another 18 points.
In fact, all five starters were well Christenson collecting 16 point while guards Enzo Spagnuolo and Mark Jones tallied another 19 and 18 points respectively.
Greg Armstrong led the way for Carleton with 20 points. Teammate Peter Riachards chipped in with another 14,10 of those coming from the free throw line.
But it was the backcourt tandem

## Jones and Spagnolo thal gave Ravens iwo posssions with York

## Skaters carve winning performances

## ${ }^{\text {By }}$ ELISSA S. FREEMAN

 At the Ontario championship skating finals held at Western last weekend, the York figure skating team showed everybody what they had proved throughout the entire season-that they were simply the best team to lace on skates in the province.York swept first place laurels amassing a total of 145 points. Their closest competition was last year's champions, who collected 106 points, for second place Western eked out a third place finish over $U$ of $T$ by finishing with 87 points, compared to 84 points for the Lady Blues. Waterloo finished fifth with 56 points followed by Ottawa with 12 points.
Before entering the final competition, York had already swept all three of the invitationals they entered. Although optimism was high, the squad only lead by six points after the first day of competition. York, however, had no problem sweeping the intermediate and senior events the following day
Coach Wendy Amorim had nothing but praise for the team. "They were exceptionally good; they just skated so well.,"
Winning 11 out of a possible 23 events, the York squad was dotted with some extremely notable talent that helped the team to their top finish.
Donna Martini, the younger sister of Canadian national pairs champions, Paul Martini, placed first in the Senior Solo Dance. In the open men's event, David Watson, who placed eight in the Canadian national championships, put on a dazzling performance to take

## No unlucky numbers for Yeomen gymnasts

York University defended its crown by winning its 13 th consecutive provincial men's team title at the Ontario University Athletic gymnas tics championships at York last Sunday
The five-man York squad held an impressive lead throughout the race for the team championships, logging 167.4 points to edge the University of
Toronto's 157.2 points.

McMaster University took the McMaster eniversty took the
team bronze with 139.4 points,
followed by Queen's with 128.6 .
"Our gymnasts showed their pride and dedication this time around," said coach Nasao Nasaki. Thirteen Ontario titles looks great on our program, but it is really quite difficult to keep up that kind of consistency. What can made my job and every one of them made my job
the individual all-round competition, which saw Alland Redden resolve matters by capturing his first Ontario title with 56.8 points. Redden, a third-year physical education student, turned in consist-
of a possible 10 points Teammate Brad Peters came in second place with 55.35 points while Walter Quigley rounded out the top three with a third place 54.65 score. Four Yeomen made the top six grade with Pat Rogers totaling 52.1 points for a fifth place finish overall. York was without Canadian Nutzenberger, who injured a back muscle in Calgary last weekend. placing fourth, and Dan Fedder, ixth, completed the awards in the individual all-rounds.

## Six York Gridiron grads rise to CFL standards <br> By MARK ZWOLINSKI <br> Last year's draft saw linebacker Marc

York University landed six graduates from its football program on the road to professional careers in the Canadian Football League during last Wednesday's college draft at the Westin Hotel.

York's output was the highest by any Canadian Interuniversity Athletic Union (CIAU) school in this year's annual draft, hosted by the nine professional Canadian franchises. Williams, Mike Joyce, Neil Fraser, Dave Williams, Mike Joyce, N
Majanga, and Dirk Leers.
Winnipeg Blue Bombers
Winnipeg Blue Bombers, who had Hamilton's pick through a trade, chose Trevor Williams as the third player overall making
him the highest selection ever out of York. him the highest selection selection was a tribute to the $183 \mathrm{~cm}, 88$
The $\mathrm{kg}(6 \mathrm{ft} ., 195 \mathrm{lb}$.) defensive end who now eclipses Bill Hatanaka's selection as the sixth eclipses Bill Hatanaka's selection as ottawa
player chosen in the 1976 draft by the Ottan player chosen
Roughriders.
Roughriders.
The Toronto Argonauts also invested in this year's Yeomen crop, taking safety Mike Joyce and defensive end Neil Fraser.

Hopkins selected in the first round-the 26th player overall-by the Montreal Concordes. Ironically, York's football program has been
one of the least successful contingents in the Ontario University Athletic Association. Through its I1-year history, York has failed to make the playoffs while going through three head coaches. $\qquad$ fielding a rookie-laden lineup, appeared on their way to reversing their perpetual losing trends.
However, the 1983 season saw them repeat their dismal 2-5 record, a result that prompted head coach Dave Pickett's resignation in late October after three years at the York helm.

Pickett, 32, a former CIAU all-Canadian and Hec Creighton trophy winner, inherited York's football program from former CFL star Frank Cosentino.
Despite a maligned history, prospects from past Yeomen editions have steadily gained the margin of respect from CFL scouts whic should benefit a recruiting program.

## Title hopes are squashed

## ${ }^{\text {By }}$ ELISSA S. FREEMAN

Being the bridesmaid isn't very
glamorous-but it's something that Bob glamorous-but it's something that Bob have had to deal with all year long.
As defending Ontario champions, the Yeowomen capped off their season with a second place finish to U of T at the Ontario Womens Interuniversity Athletic Association final held at Queen's last weekend.
The Lady Blues smashed their way to first place with 111 points, followed by Western tied for third spot with 73 points apiece.
${ }^{\text {apiece. }}$ "We never had our top five players in good health all year, and this weekend was no exception," said Cluett.
Both Rhonda Firmi and Anita Halpern were suffering from the sniffles, while Halpern also had to deal with a torn thigh Fourth year player, Ruth Castellino
ago. finished out her squash career in fine form
going 4-1 during the tournament. Her only loss was to Gail Lapore of Queen's, even though Castellino was up two games to none and leading 5-0 in the third. Cluett, however, is already looking toward the 1984-85 season. Both Firmi and Halpern have performed exceptionally well for the Yeowomen this year (sporting a combined 44-11 record) and will be back next year.
In addition, the squad's farm system will be moving two more players, Cheryl Miller and Darlene Aiger, up the ranks. This farm team participates in city league competition every week, which allows the lower-ranked girls an opportunity to
improve their skills and gain competitive improve the
experience.
Also returning will be Karen Salmon, who has spent the year playing in England. She is expected to be a dominant force next year.
Such depth will no doubt be an asset to next year's squad. The eternal optimist, Cluett claims that, "we'll be even stronger next year."


Five number eights, from left to right are: Steve (Walt) Waldman, Ted (Wa

## Number eight still number one at York

## ${ }^{\text {By }}$ ROGER NEWLOVE

The dark bowels of Central Square have been exposed as the headquarters of the widely known fan club of Toronto Maple Leaf Walt

## Poddubny.

After some prodding, several employees of the Department of Instructional Aid Resources (DIAR) reluctantly agreed to reveal the littleknown facts surrounding the fan club.
DIAR employee Derek Pearce was the first to break down and divulge that the club is not as serious as one might believe. "It started as a joke, he said. In 1982 Podubny Nobody knew
at the beginning of the season. Nobody at the beginning of the season. Nobody knew
much about him or why he was on the team, so we decided to send him a card for fun. We really didn't expect a response from him and we were surprised when we received a letter from him," he said.
responsibility for the club lay with Richard Ambrose, another employee of DIAR. He said it was Ambrose's idea to send Poddubny a get well card. He said everybody in the office chipped in 25 c for a card and they became the Club.
"We anticipate that he will be one of the all time greats. He's a team leader on the ice and an inspiration off the ice," said Ambrose. The activities of the club include cutting out newspaper articles on Poddubny and posting them on the wall. The club, however, has had no correspondence with Poddubny since the memorable card-letter exchange in 1982 . Ambrose said that the main reason he established the club was because of the status it gave him and then mumbled something about "picking up women.

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