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"Everyone hates me because they think I'm paranoid."

-- Algernon Greenwood

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2. Lighting in Lot "D" and the Underground Parkade has been upgraded to eliminate dark areas.

3. Parking at Westwood has been expanded for students and staff.

4. Signage throughout the Institute is being designed to provide better direction.

5. The elevators in the parkade have been refurbished.
6. On our request, the City of Edmonton has provided additional metered parking for visitors on 118th Avenue.

In addition, Physical Facilities and Services has initiated the following procedures:

Power to plug-ins on Main Campus and Patricia Campus will be cycled on a 20 minute on, 20 minute off basis between the hours 2300 to 1500. From 1500 to 2300 hours, power will be provided on a continuous basis. Times are based on studies of the peak electrical demand curve. Should Staff or Students require information on what cycle their parking stall is on, contact Physical Plant at 471-7566.

Physical Facilities and Services or the Commissionaires are unable to provide a boosting/towing service; however, for your convenience a list of firms capable of providing this service is maintained by the Commissionaires: phone 471-7477 and Physical Plant at 471-7566.

In continuing to provide upgraded parking service, Physical Facilities and Services invites your suggestions on how we can further improve our service to you.

R. Kerr Director of Physical Facilities and Services

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Nait Student Solves "Snooze" Button Woes

Nait Architecture student Wendy Wickham temporarily solved her wake up problems when she received a shocking new addition to her apartment decor on Monday when a driver lost control of his car, skidding off the road and through the wall of Wendy's apartment.

It was rumored that the driver of the car thought Wendy's apartment had underground parking but the main entrance was secretly disguised as the outside wall of a basement suite. No one was hurt. The investigation continues

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Two glass doors were broken last Friday, February 14. The doors, one located at the East entrance to the North Lobby the other at the East entrance to the Technical Building were apparently kicked in. At this stage, vandalism is suspected. If anyone knows any information regarding the broken doors, they are asked to contact NAIT Security on the Main Campus.



Charles S. Noble Award for Student Leadership

The Charles S. Noble Award for Student Leadership is intended to recognize post-secondary students demonstrating outstanding dedication and leadership to fellow students and to their community.

Nominees for this Award must be Alberta residents and currently enrolled in a minimum of three full-time courses. Nominees should display commitment in one or more of the following areas:

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EDITORIALS

For Sale: One slightly used dictator

Not even Papa Doc got this kind of notoriety...

But since Baby Doc was shunned from his palace in Haiti, he has been subjected to the wrathful pen of the press. Why? What did Jean-Claude Duvalier (beter known as Baby Doc) ever do? All he asked for was a quiet, respectable life in Haiti, where he could horde his millions and subject the poorest nation in the Western Hemisphere to terrorism and inequality under his rule.

Everything was fine until the rioting and unrest began. It rose to such an intense level, that Baby Doc and his lovely family were forced to leave the country. Apparently the citizens of Haiti simply did not like Baby Doc. They wanted him out of the country.

To date, Baby Doc's search for a country to live in permanent exile has been futile. Unfortunately, his refuge in France is only temporary as French Government aides are

desperately searching for a country that will grant him refuge. France doesn't want Baby Doc, Canada doesn't want Baby Doc, no one wants Baby Doc. Poor Baby Doc!

If Baby Doc is not picked up on waivers this time around, I think the U.S. should take him in. They could use a guy like Jean-Claude Duvalier as an Entertainment Tonight reporter, or better yet, a guest host on the David Letterman Show. No? Oh well, I guess Baby Doc is out of luck.

Ken Gurr Asst. Editor



Some NAIT Accounting Instructors and their Wives.

Is the Ookpik a Masher?

Dear Editor:

If you attended the NAIT vs. U. of A. hockey game, you could walk out of the Col seum with a great deal of pride. The Ooks really showed the Bears how to play hockey. They protrayed a positive image for NAIT.

The fans were great, too! They gave the players the support they needed. It was barely apparent that there were any University fans there. NAIT fans sure know how to make noise.

The only disappointment for the night was the way that our team mascot behaved. Does this guy think that because he can hide his identity under a costume that he can behave in such an indecent manner? Doesn't he have to follow some code of ethics? His actions were not at par with those of our hockey players or fans. Someone should be monitoring his behavior!

Signed, **Embarassed Female**

Student Services?

Dear Editor,

I am a second-year student in Business Administration and actively involved in intramural sports and other activities. Due to this fact, I frequently drop into the Student Services office to gather information regarding sports, etc.

Now, the reason I am writing to you is to complain about a certain staff member in the aforementioned office. She/ he is a representative of viduals that would be anxious services to the students; she/

he is working with the students to help them and provide them with informa-

tion. But unfortunately, this is not the case with this person.

When I enter Student Services, I always try to be pleasant and friendly. In response, I get nothing! In a monotone, smileless face he/ she says: "Can I help you?" He/she drags out of her/his chair and slowly walked to the counter.

If your job is that bad, why don't you quit? I'm sure there are more pleasant indito fill such a responsible position.

A disappointed Student

Fender Benders

Dear Editor

I would like to say a few words to some of the people that abuse the K parking lot. If you were a little more careful about how you park we could fit at least another 25 to 35 cars in the lot.

There has been a lot of times when I have been turned away only to find that there are a number of inconsiderate people taking up two parking stalls. It is not just the K lot either. It happens everywhere.

A good guide line to use would be about two and a half feet of space between you and the next car. I know what a lot of you will say: "If I park that close, somebody will put a dent in my car." Well, that is the other side of this story. If we all care a little more about the other guy, we would not have to worry about it. I know I can get in and out easily with that much room without hitting other cars and I am 5'11" and 200 lbs.

I would like to think that we are adults here and that this comment will be taken to heart. However, I doubt that it will happen. Therefore, I would like to see the parking lot attendants start ticketing the people that insist on using two parking stalls.

P.S. This is for the person that put the dent in my car. Thanks alot a-- hole! I hope your insurance rates go up!

No Longer The Last Frontier

It was indeed incomprehensible. Once the space shuttle blew up, questions arose as to why? How? What was first thought as a mechanical error is now being treated as particularly a human error.

Was the shuttle launched into space regardless of numerous warnings of freezing temperatures, skepticism from some NASA officials and previous launch delays? Was NASA placed under pressure by military officials to go ahead with the launch regardless of the consequences?

The implications of this tragic accident are enormous. Although accidents like this are unforseeable, extra precautions should have been taken. Many are questioning whether or not a civilian should have been placed on board. The question still remains if anyone should have been on the space shuttle. With the bureaucracy of Washington and NASA one wonders if the real truth will come out.

L. Chayka Editor

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Leroy Warden

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SPORTS

The Concrete Tobogganning Event of the Century!

This year's Great Northern Concrete Toboggan Race took place this past weekend on Feb. 14 & 15. The race was hosted by the University of Calgary, who did an extremely good job of organizing the unorganized. Our team from NAIT which was made up of 60 (sixty) team members failed to show up the challenging competition. SAIT took the overall winning trophy with a close runner up by the Animals from the University of Waterloo.

The overall impression of the approximately 100 (hundred) people from NAIT was "excellent weekend."

The event started with two buses packed with beer at 7 a.m. Friday morning. We arrived in Calgary for an excellent lunch which was followed up by the preliminary judging. At 6 p.m. the free beer and pizza bash broke out, and then it was off

to the bars. Quite honestly there were quite a few people who took the horizontal position at this time.

The partying took place right up till the races on Saturday at 9 a.m., which were postponed until 10 a.m. by popular demand. The race took place just west of Calgary at Lion Mountain in Bragg Creek. There were 34 sleds in all that were entered. A B.C.E.T. alumni team won the Best Braking System award. By the end of the day there were many broken, bashed and abused sleds leaving SAIT with the overall championship.

The "Beach Boys" from NAIT came close to the fastest run by only a half of a second. One of Earth Resources' sleds broke in half when they unloaded it off the bus.

Saturday night there was a roast beef banquet, awards presentation and cabaret.

The cabaret was "stocked" with about fifty student nurses which kept the single male population happy and turned the night into a smashing success.

Despite the opinion of a tew of my critics, the weekend was very well planned by the U. of C. My thanks to the NAIT Concrete Toboggan Committee who helped make this wild weekend come off so successfully, and we would like to thank NAITSA and the Athletic Board for each sponsoring a \$1,000.00. Special thanks to Kelly Hines who was in charge of keeping the bus drivers happy and the NAIT team organized. I was told that Diversified Bus Lines will be happy to transport us again in the future.

Finally, "Everyone say hello to Sombuddy!"

Robert McKibbon Chairman GNCTR

Weekend Action with the Basketball Chicks

On Valentine's Day the minutes it was all Griffins as (1-13) Chicks squared off against their crosstown rivals the (11-2) Grant McEwan College Griffins. The Griffins lead the conference and are ranked fifth in the National Poll. However, the Chicks lost a narrow decision in their first matchup in December. The game went much like the first contest with the lead see-sawing back and forth in the first half. The experienced Griffins were surprised by the Chicks who played with a lot of heart and narrowly trailed 32-30 at the half. In the second half, the already short-staffed Chicks ran into some foul trouble and simply ran out of energy with the score GMCC 44 NAIT 39 at the 30 minute mark. For the next ten

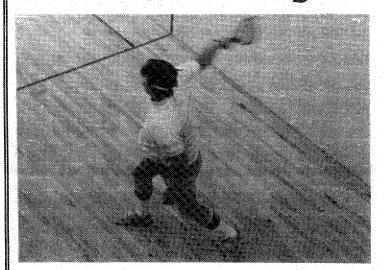
they routed the Chicks 70-49. Once again the Chicks were led by rookie guards Sherry Lee (17 points) and Meach Cucinotta (15 points). An honorable mention goes to reserve guard Chris Larson who played her best game of the year and finished with seven points.

SHORT SHOTS

Meach Cucinotta has scored 212 points this season and ranks third in the league. Sherry Lee (169 points) and Patti Marcinyshyn (155 pts.) are also in the top ten in scoring. The Chicks wrap up their league schedule on the road this weekend when they face the Vikettes at Camrose Lutheran College.

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- 8. National Lifeguard Ser-
- vice(sat, Sun, Mon) 9. Swim Fitness 6;30-7:30 am and 12:15 noon -1:00pm

Fitness Activities

10. Weightroom Work-

11. Men's Weight Training

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training

13. Learn to Run

14. Yoga 15. Aerobics

16. Body Building for Men

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17. Orientation to Fitness (Co-ed)

18. Early Bird Fitness (7:15-

19. Physical Fitness Assessment, Counselling, and Programming

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21. Squash

22. Badminton

23. Archery

24. Bowling

25. Karate

26. Tae Kwon Do 27. Fencing

28. Gung Fu (Beginner)

29. Social Dance

30. Golf (Beginner)

31. Tennis

32. Judo

Team Activities

32. Basketball

33. Co-ed Volleyball 34. Men's Soccer

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36. Ball Hockey (Arena)

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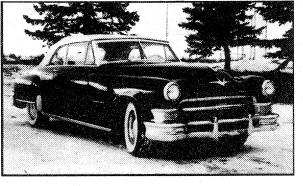
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Martin Carries Flag in World's Jr. Curling



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Championship in Dart-

The dream of every athlete

mouth, Nova Scotia. The kings of Canadian Junior curling earned the right to carry Canada's flag with their outstanding performance in St. John's, Newfoundland in Feb. '85. They finished second in round robin play (7 - 4) defeated Quebec 5-4 in an extra end in the series and defeated Prince Edward Island 6-3 in the nationally televised final.

For the players, coach, friends and especially the parents the pressure and excitement in St. John's was something you had to be there to experience. Saturday, championship day, turied out to be such a monumental occasion that when the last rock was thrown, it was hard for the team to believe that they were champions of junior curling. It was a dream come true.

The championship and the events that occurred over the last year will be a chapter in the men's lives that they will always remember.

With all thoughts and energies presently directed at the worlds next month, it

seems appropriate at this time to reflect on some of the highlights of the past twelve months.

The media attention, the champions brought the team, was a new but very exciting and enjoyable experience for all. The banquets and applause the men received were satisfying and very rewarding.

They were involved in five major spiels. In the 'Thanksgiving' (Ottewell) and the 'Xmas Yuletide' (Donnick) they finished with identical 4-3 records losing in 'C' qualifying in both.

In the 'Poor Boy' (Shamrock) they were one inch away frm becoming the first junior team to win this prestigious event. They lost their first two games and then reeled off five straight wins to qualify out of 'C'. In championship play, wins

Ossie and Matheson set the stage for the final against Brad Hannah who had just beaten Pat Ryan.

With the score tied 5-5 Kevin was a touch heavy on a draw to the eight foot, giving Hannah the championship. Wins over established curlers like Orsulad, Huff, Kadatz, and Wilson was a great confidence

In ACAC they qualified with a 6-1 record. They lost their first play game 8-7 and then won the bronze medal beating Camrose 8-5.

Without question the highlite of the curling season up to this point was the trip to Inverness, Scotland Nov.

19-26, 1985. It is tradition for the National Junior Champions to participate in this special, a chance to familiarize and understand European Curling.

In simple terms it was just a great holiday. We toured their cities Glasgow, Inverness and Edinburgh. There is so much history and tradition in this beautiful country. The visit to the Edinburgh castle was so interesting.

The team has curled 85 games to this point. With the Worlds a month away, the team is now beginning to tense, to get excited and serious about this championship. What has been a tremendous year will hopefully be culminated with a World title. Good Luck Men

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Ooks Win Final Three Without a Hitch

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The best of the three games was Saturday's. The Ooks pushed Mount Royal's cancel button, handing them a 12 - 0 loss. The Ooks demonstrated superior play and discipline as they only took 37 minutes in penalties compound with Mount Royals 80. The Ooks

coring was once again lead by Captain Ron Amyotte who recorded an impressive hat trick. Murray Melnyk and Darren Schmidt both scored two. The rest of the Ook singles came from Mario Sicolo, Mike Spencer, Ken Goodwin, Mark

Schultz and Franco Discig-The Ooks outshot Mount Royal 55 - 13 to end a week of impressive hockey. Playoffs begin this Friday at the Nait Arena, 7:30

against Red Deer. The Red Deer club will be ready for our high flying Ooks. The Ooks will be looking to eliminate their opponents in the minimum number of required games in their quest for a second Canadian Campionship in as many years. A Canadian

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C. Floyd

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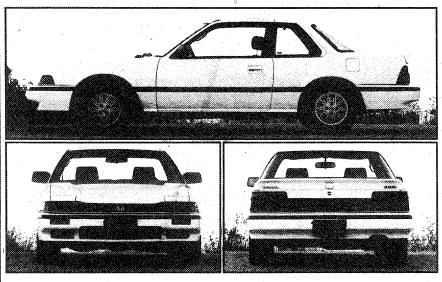
This car has made many improvements since its introduction, just like many NAIT students drinking habits— it is a well-rounded little car, similar to a sumo wrestler's

waistline

It also has about as many options that come standard: electric windows, sunroof, and a four speaker stereo system made by Pioneer for Honda.

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with the Prelude will pay you back in beer if you would have bought a cheaply made American car. It gets 35 MPG city and 37 MPG highway, EPA.

The car fits any sized person very well. As I am over 6'3" and 200 lbs., I was very pleased at how comfortable it was to sit and drive this car. The seats could have

had better lateral support and lumbar support but I was comfortable enough. The instrument panel is very well constructed with the driver in mind.

All in all, this sports car is very pleasing to drive and to drive hard down Groat Road.

Dean Mitchell

E.E.T's "The Assassination Game" Begins March 10th

OFFICIAL EET T.A.G. RULES

1) Thou shall only make kills with the official EET T.A.G. gun supplied at the beginning of the game.

2) If thou shoots your assassin before he is able to shoot you, your assassin becomes inactive for a period of five (5) minutes.

3) Disruptions of classes will not be tolerated. Once your target is inside his assigned classroom he cannot be killed.

4) Thou shalt not steal your assassin's darts and even touching one of his darts shall constitute an official kill.

5) Kills may be made on NAIT property only.

6) Upon successfully killing your assigned target, the deceased target shall immediately surrender his current victim profile. The deceased shall also sign the assassin's victim profile and indicate the time, date, and location of the kill. The completed victim profiles shall then be deposited into the box provided for that purpose in the student activities office (E-134). It is important that all victim profiles be deposited before the end of the day so that the scoreboard may be updated.

7) Any member of the NAITSA executive, especially Glenn Mason, may be used as an official T.A.G. practice target.

8) Kills may be made only before classes, during spares, between classes, during lunch hours, and after classes.

9) If, at any time, you come into possession of your own victim profile, you must turn it in at the EET club office (H-210) as soon as possible. You cannot commit suicide and the longer you hang onto your own profile, the less time you will have to score

10) The winner will be the last person left in the game or the person who has the highest number of kills. In the event of a tie, a duel shall be held to decide the winner.

11) It is assumed that the information provided by the applicant is accurate and any dishonesty will be punishable.

12) The EET club executive and its individual members shall not be held liable for any injuries resulting from participation in this game and each player does so at his own risk.

13) The EET executive reserves the right to stop this game at any time. Please act as professional assassins and there should be no problems.

14) The idea of this game is to provide some sort of alternative to the daily grind at NAIT and to meet people in your tech. Having fun and being a good sport are more important than winning and these qualities will determine the success of the game. Good luck and watch your back.

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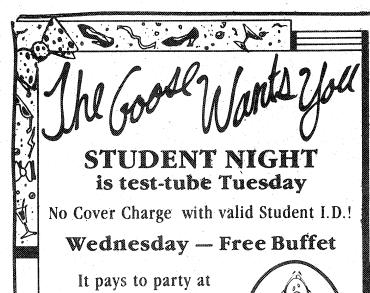
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stuff to catch!!

Movies

NAIT Little Theatre [H-5]: The Purple Rose of Cairo, Feb. 22&23 at 7:30 pm. Admission \$1.

Princess Theatre [10337-82

The Brother from Another Planet -tonight at 7pm- the story of a mute black extraterrestrial in Harlem.

Android - a low budget outer space play. Tonight at

The Basileus Quartet- Rex Reed calls it '... a complex. sensitive study of adult relationships set against a backdrop of classical music that is riveting, haunting, unique." Plays Feb 21 to 27 at 7pm.

Le Bal- the story of a ballroom in France-- don't

Theatre

"Something Anonymous" presents Stage One--Edmonton's first Amateur One Act Play Festival Feb. 21, 22, and 23 at 8 p.m. in the Chinook Theatre [10329 - 83 Ave.]. Seven groups have registered to compete and there are five new works. The price is right: Stage One passes, good for the entire weekend, are only \$5 and will be available at the door.

When the Wind Blows -Based on Raymond Briggs comic book where a charming elderly couple innocently prepare for a nuclear war; this delightful Phoenix production runs till March 2nd at the Kaasa Theatre [Jubilee Auditorium].

The Housekeeper -- a twocharacter comedy by James Prideaux starring Sandy Dennis as a bag lady hired by stuffy literacy artist [Don Stewart]. Runs till March 9 at Stage West.

Live!!

Catch Cold Feet this weekend at Edmonton's newest [well, new crowd anyway] rhythm & blues night spot-the Commercial Hotel [10329-82 Ave.].

At the Sidetrack Cafe: Jim Byrnes is playing till the 22nd and Sheri Ulrich will be appearing Feb. 25 & 26. Advance tickets for the latter

Bruce Cockburn will be at the Jubilee Auditorium on February 25th.

Quintessence: Wit is combined with a string quartet at the Arden Theatre, St. Albert, this Friday at 8 p.m. Tickets \$8 -- for info call 459-1542.

Chicago Pete and the Detroiters will be playing in the Yardbird Suite [86 Ave. and 104 St.] this weekend. Good "Down Home" blues! Princess Theatre [10337 -82 Ave.].

Nait Pubs

It's Pre-Tech's Tacky Tourist Bash Feb. 28 at the Bonnie Doon Hall [9240-93] St.]. Admission \$6.

Hydrocarbon Engineering presents Beach Party II Feb. 21 at the Beacon Heights Hall [4418-118 Ave.].

General

Snowflake Fantasy Park--A spectrum of attractions for people of all ages at Hawrelak park. Runs till Saturday--call 420-1451 for in fo.

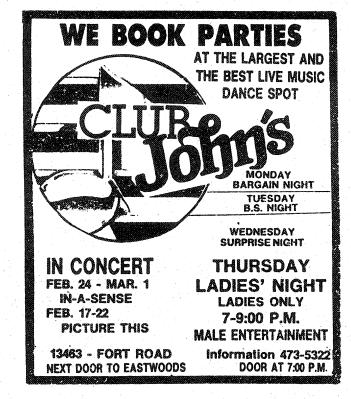
An exhibition of works by 13 students in the photography department of NAIT will be presented in the Foyer Gallery of the Centennial Library, Feb. 3-27.

Entitled 'Jasper', the exhibition will show the students' impressions of the famous vacation spot in the Canadian Rockies,

Dr. Joyce Lampard

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---the last word

"So where does Scotch whiskey come from... and when will it go away?"

by Al Greenwood

You may, at some point in your life, witness a scene like this:

A tall dark stranger enters a normally quiet, licensed drinking establishment. He walks over to the counter, greets the bartender, leans over and whispers something into the bartender's ear.

The young man behind the bar looks bewildered. He nods his head cautiously and then exists through a back door. He returns in a moment, dressed in white, radiation-proof coveralls.

The bartender takes a glass and carefully places this in a self-contained, plexiglass compartment. This done, he reaches down for the controls to a set of three-foot long, mechanical arm-like devices. With these, he grasps a bottle in the plexiglass compartment and removes its cap. He pours exactly 1.5 ounces of fluid from the bottle into the glass and immediately recaps the bottle. Still using the metal arms, he pulls the glass out of the compartment and hands it over to his customer.

The stranger looks down at the glass in his hand and pauses for a moment, as if to say a prayer. Suddenly, he downs the solution places some currency on the bar and staggers out of the lounge, never to be seen

It's an age-old wonder: mere mortals asking for, and actually consuming a drink known as (urp!): Scotch Whiskey. Why do some individuals ingest this vile concoction? I recently asked this question to a Scotch-drinking friend.

He replied: "Why do people look into their Kleenex after they've blown their nose?"

I'm still trying to figure that one out; I think I missed some sort of double-meaning.

So where does Scotch Whiskey come from... and when will it go away? These questions I've been able to answer to an extent--thanks to a bit of research. Here is a brief history of Scotch and of some of its past uses:

280 A.D.--The British Isles: The oldest known records of Scotch Whiskey

date back to this period. It was said that if a man could drink the equivalent of about 16 ounces of Scotch, his goats would be very fertile that year. Either that, or his mother-in-law would be swallowed by the Earth and sent plunging into the depths of Hell (the translation is not very clear). 1660 - France:

This is the next point in history where South played a vital role. Most people believe that the French people accepted Louis XIV and his absolutist ideology because the only alternative was a long, bloody and vicious civil war. The fact of the matter was that Louis XIV had outlawed Scotch Whiskey in France. The French people were ecstatic about this benevolent policy, and so Louis XIV was allowed to reign until his treacherous wife slipped some Scotch in his goblet. Louis drank it and died in a convulsive fit.

WWII - Nazi Germany Concentration camp survivors have told horror stories of a Russian-Roulette-type "game" they were forced to play. German guards would arbitrarily choose six

prisoners, blindfold them, and sit them around "The Table of Fear". In front of each prisoner were six shot-glasses--five of which were filled with Red-Dog

paint-stripper -- the fifth, with Scotch Whiskey. As the guards laughed and waged their earnings, the prisoners prayed they would be lucky enough to choose a glass of paint-stripper. The poor devil who ended up drinking Scotch would usually be freed by the military, an insignificant consideration for such a beastly fate.

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Today there are many poor, sick people who intentionally swallow Scotch Whiskey. No one really knows why they do it. Some suggest that Scotch drinkers are instinctively bent on death; they know Scotch is bad for them, yet they continue to drink it. Although there have been numerous advances in the treatment of Scotch

drinkers, the process is a slow and tedious one. If you wish to help find a cure, please send your tax-deductible donation to the following address:

The "Buy Al a Mercedes Fund", 13534 - 127 St., Edmonton, AB.

CLASSIFIEDS:

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To Heather in AHT,

I had a lot of fun at the dance last Friday and would like to see you again. If you see this ad please reply in next week's paper. Just name a time and place. Lunch hour is best for me, 12:15-1:10. If you are not interested, send a no to the shy guy. Either way please don't leave me in suspense.

Sincerely, the Shy Guy

The Pillow Masher,

Ripped any seams lately? It seams to me that certain Neanderthal hairy fur-bags should be stuffed with cotton and left for the next ice-age. Mind you, following this weekend's upcoming slaughter-or I mean hockey game- the era of Neanderthal man could end forever. Bruce the Conquerer will strike again and certain hairy fur-bags will once again be at the mercy of the Blue Horde.

#Seven

P.S. Used any hair gel lately?

To a fellow Woody Allen fan, from the Backgammon Champion: In all honesty, your profession doesn't deserve to be lumped in with ''psychos, freaks, and nymphomaniacs."

P.S. Take your time. I'll be around.

Carol,

Friendship is the best kind of love, yet when a man loves a woman and she doesn't love him, she says, "Let's be friends." When two people don't love each other enough they become just friends.

Glenn

NAIT OPEN HOUSE March 14 and 15 To help out contact your department head!

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Hey, you on the 7th floor: we should get together. Say Hi; don't be shy.

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To my Secret Admirer

Getting into one's drawers is not as easy as you think it is. You've got to have the right "key".

> 777 Survey

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To Herb (BBB)

You now know who I am, and I know that you know that I know who you are.

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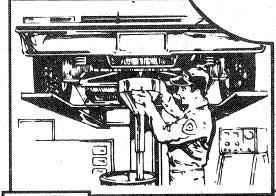


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