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#### **Secrets Revealed**

Mr. Haugh, hereafter referred to as Ha-Ha has stated on the On Campus Radio show that Students' Council has 'made much ado about nothing' and refers to last week's meeting as 'A Comedy of Errors'.

Ha-Ha has made much ado about nothing and is a comedy of errors personified. He is not a responsible two-time member of council, and least of all is a responsible fourth year Honours Business student. He (Ha-Ha) represents himself in his editorial as a responsible and also a worried student. Completely objective! He only wants the facts ma'am, just the facts.

Now what earthly reason is there for Ha-Ha to state that one of the Presidential candidates was secretly married? Who is this hidden hero who has lost his freedom to follow the thorny path of matrimony? We know who he is! Certainly it wasn't Mr. Haugh. Possibly this is the reason for this rather insane comment: the green horns of jealousy. Or maybe he just thought as he said that this dire fact which had been 'avoided like the plague' should be exposed at last. The only thing that was avoided like the plague was super-duper Ha-Ha.

Ha-Ha's use of innuendo in the statement "..."It was discovered to the shock of almost everyone that the ex-president-elect wasn't eligible for office..." smacks of vituperation which vitiates his objectivity. If Ha-Ha is attempting in his own imperious but rather unknowledgeable way to cast aspersions on some andidates character, he should say so. In this manner the voters on this campus will not be mistaken and still vote for the wrong nan or wife.

Another point of issue that we take with Mr. Ha-Ha is his tatement that what took place at the Council meeting on Thurslay last, is uncertain since the minutes were not available at airime. Shame on you Super Ha-Ha you opened your big beak and not more in than your claw — you got two claws. It would seem is if these two claws are a reasonable explanation for the remaining verbal diarrhea in your editorial.

As Mr. Ha-Ha continues his insensible diatribe against people uch as the C.E.O., Mr. Smith and members of council, we see a confused man, fighting against the ideal of responsibility he is rying to champion. He, (Ha-Ha) thinks that Council has by-assed really important matters with little notice. He also feels hat these "things" have not been brought to the attention of the tudents. Well, Mister, what did the newspaper do last Friday? Certainly you did not need to drum up listeners for your radio rogram with a deliberately sensationalist hand-bill.

It is all right, Mr. Haugh, you will be okay. All you have to lo is assume your pre-natal position and security is yours. You nnoy us Mr. Ha-Ha and you will probably understand this, beause you run around like Chicken-licken yelling the sky is falling n.

Yes, attitudes such as yours reflect student government of two nd three years ago. In those times Council wouldn't even take a tand on Motherhood.

#### the cord's Choice

resident: Fritz, the Friendly Rent-A-Cop

st Vice-President: Daniel Johnson (Que.)

and Vice-President: Tim Buck (Chairman of Canadian Communist

Party

Business Manager: Hal Banks

UBOG Chairman: Pope Paul

enior Class President: Siggy Freud

enior Class Vice-President: Joyce Brothers

unior Class President: Rachel Welch

unior Class Vice-President: Lassie

ophomore President: Che Guevarra

ophomore Vice-President: George Lincoln Rockwell (posthum-

ously)

reshman President: Nancy Green

reshman Vice-President: Gerda Mudslinger

ecretary: Super Ha-Ha (for the facts)

oard of Publications: William F. Buckley, Jr.

Iomecoming Representative: Len (the waiter at the 'Loo)

hief Electoral Officer: Dale Smith.

#### To the Polls!

Well, kiddies, it's election time again. Although you responded with an overwhelming 70% vote in the last election, you are going to be called to the polls again. Although you assumed that everyone was qualified and voted, this time you can be sure they are qualified and vote again. You are being asked to make the same choice, on the same grounds, for the same platforms. Your council has botched it again. It has shown itself to be a nit-picking name-calling nothing that is a slave to its own rules instead of operating for the good of the students.

Throughout this whole fiasco, Roger Sanders has been smeared, counter-smeared, and blackballed. The On Campus Radio programme has been a cardinal offender to this end. And throughout it all, Sanders has remained sensible, patient, and friendly, despite the insane antics of his colleagues. All year he has taken a positive stand on the important issues. He has bucked the whole council to remain constant to his beliefs. He set up the course evaluation study almost single-handed, and seems to have the only concrete, exciting and workable proposals for next year.

Our support may not make any positive effect, but we must voice it. We feel that Roger Sanders is the one hope for the students at WLU. We urge you to support him at the polls.

### Smith Resigns

Another Students' official has resigned.

I refuse to run an unconstitutional election said Dale Smith, Chief Electoral Officer as he submitted his resignation to Students' Council this Monday. He said he refused to fight council "because if I stayed, they only would have fired me and gone ahead with the elections anyway."

The same qualifications that were used in the last elections will be used again but this time they will have been formally passed by students' Council.

Dale Smith said that by the constitution it is his responsibility to decide what should be done as the issue is not covered in the electoral bylaws. The constitution states that "The Chief Electoral Officer shall be in complete charge of all campuswide elections and his decisions shall be final in all matters not covered in the bylaws."

In a presentation before Council Mr. Smith said that new elections were completely unnecessary and would be a farce. "Students' Council members must represent the students and not their own personal interests.

The new election was proposed by unsuccessful presidential candidate Dave Walker.

Dale Smith said that students had the opportunity to check the qualifications as they were on the nomination forms He said that the winner was chosen by seventy percent of the student body, indicating that it was a valid choice. He also said the class elections expressed a clear choice as all the candidates won by wide margins. Quite obviously and very simply if the new qualifications had been passed in February none of this would have occured.

He also pointed out that the election date that is proposed is no more than nine days before the first exam and too many students including himself stand to suffer in exams because of the time required to run and campaign in an election.

Mr. Smith declared all elections prior to last Thursday March 14 to be valid, binding, and official and called for Council endorsment of his decision.

The motion proposed to recind last weeks Council decision for a new election was defeated 5 to 4 with 2 abstentions. At this point Smith submitted his resignation saying that he regreted this irresponsible decision of Students' Council.

Bill Ballard asked Smith how he could state that his was a decision that expressed what the students wanted if he had not conducted a poll. Later Mr. Smith said that of the 25 or 30 people he had spoken to not one was in favour of new elections and to him this indicated a fairly decernable trent in Student opinion.

#### GREAT QUOTES

Dr. Von Moltke: "What white socks?"

Dr. George Haggar: "Let my people

Don Haugh: " "

Dr. Henry Endress: "I am not prepared to make a unilateral decision at this time!"

Students' Council: "We take it all

Steve Little: "Yes Sir!"

Roger Sanders: "I did."

Torque Room Girls: "Pot or Veg?"

Dave Walker: "Snicker. Snicker...
No comment."

Rob Brown: "You can count on me."

Mr. H. Greb: "See Dr. Endress on

Mike McElhone: "Sure I'll give you money for another paper. This one's GREAT."

Bill Ballard: "What do you mean, GREASE BALL? He's my FRIEND!"



MAMMY YOKUM

Rob Brown, Vice-President of Council said he would be prepared to assume the responsibility of Chief Electoral Officer. David McAdam was appointed to the post.

As one student summed up after the meeting, "this council is amazing, it has as many speeds reversed as it has forward."

### Rat Found in Toilet

Vancouver, (UP) — Mr. Roger Boyle of 1145 West 14th St. discovered a rat swimming in his toilet here today.

"There was nothing I could do. I just looked in when I came into the room because I heard this noise, and there was this big rat in there swimming around," he said. The rat was reported to be the size of a small squirrel.

Mr. Boyle claims he flushed the toilet in desperation when the rat refused to be perturbed by his presence. "The rat simply disappeared then, and I figured that was the end of him," he said. "But an hour later,

he was back swimming around like he owned the place." Mr. Boyle, a civil service worker, flushed the toilet again. The rat disappeared again, but reappeared several hours later. Finally, he poured some lye into the toilet and heard a loud cracking sound.

"I thought I was rid of him for sure this time, but actually the base of the toilet had cracked from the lye," he said. "Now I don't know if I'm rid of the rat, and the toilet doesn't work any more."

Mr. Boyle has three children. Two are attending high school.