

# VIEW FROM THE TOP

THE ENGINEER'S BI-WEEKLY

WOW! Once again all you people on the outside are being treated to another year of "View from the Top" - the inside news and opinions of the U.P.E.I. Engineering Society. This year our population is over seventy with a grand total of eight girls. We are very happy this year to have Professor Don Gillis back with us and we also welcome Mr. Frank Chaisson, who will be teaching dynamics this year. Many thanks to Gordon McPhee for his graphic work on the title!

Claire Robertson

### Presidential Notes

Things are finally underway - starting with the annual kick-off at Don Gillis' place (a complete report will follow). The elections of class representatives has been completed - results being: 1st year, Angus Orford, Laurie S. 2nd year, Scott Thomas, Harold French and 3rd year, Jim MacDonald with myself as president.

Future plans: A possible exchange tournament in softball and hockey with Mt. A. Engineers, and a golf tourney at Stanhope. Pubs and ski parties are also possibilities. The next general society meeting is Monday, October 22 at 12:30 in D-110. For further information - BE THERE.

Darlene MacNevin

## SPORTS

So far this year sports have been a cause of disappointment for the engineers. The softball team defending champs are having a struggle. The problem is in lack of depth and returning players. Despite the poor showing, they are looking for better things in the playoffs.

Flag football has not received good participation. Some people are still trying to get a team together.

The brightest outlook for sports success in our society are the upcoming basketball and hockey teams.

Last year the basketball team made a strong showing and this year it should be even better. Despite two of last year's players, Alan Thompson and Ken Griffin, graduating, the team will not be short of players. This year's nucleus will be: Jim MacDonald, Steven Yeo, Toks, Brian MacLeod, Scott Thomas and newcomer Ronnie St. Ange. With hard work and good coaching from Darlene MacNevin we expect to make

a run for the title.

The best is yet to come - HOCKEY! During the summer a lot of recruiting was done to add some support to the existing team. Our first job was to secure the "Winder-Grinder" connection of Bob Chaisson and Kerry Taylor, who, along with retired Sept McPhee formed a feared line in Engineers history. They scored 13 goals against Acadia last winter. Second year Steve McKinnon decided to leave Blanchard due to contract troubles and lack of pay - he will be wearing our colours this year. The last acquisition was free agent Jim Coady who played out his option with Mean Machine last year.

These players added to the regulars - Jeff MacLeod, Gord MacPhee, Gerry Stewart, David Roach, Brian McLeod plus others make a formidable team.

The future looks good for Engineering teams so watch out - we are on the move!

William McPherson

Oh yes! We can't forget to tell the story of Don Gillis' corn boil. How about that for a party? Some corn was husked and boiled - some actually eaten. However the corn had a rival in the form of liquid. Yes, sir, the corn was good but fiery refreshments were a little better.

The standard initiation took place on top of an old flat bed trailer. Everyone passed with almost no trouble. A proper chugging match was in the organizational stage when the introduction of a hose watered everyone down. First year students should take note of the wise 3rd years who brought extra clothes!

Of course, all stories have an ending although some engineers can't remember it (right Jim!) Let's say the pace was a bit slow in 1st Floor Duffy the next day.

Many thanks to Prof. Don Gillis for his hospitality and premises. A big cheer to Judy Gillis for having the patience to handle the annual riot.

Ball Point Poison

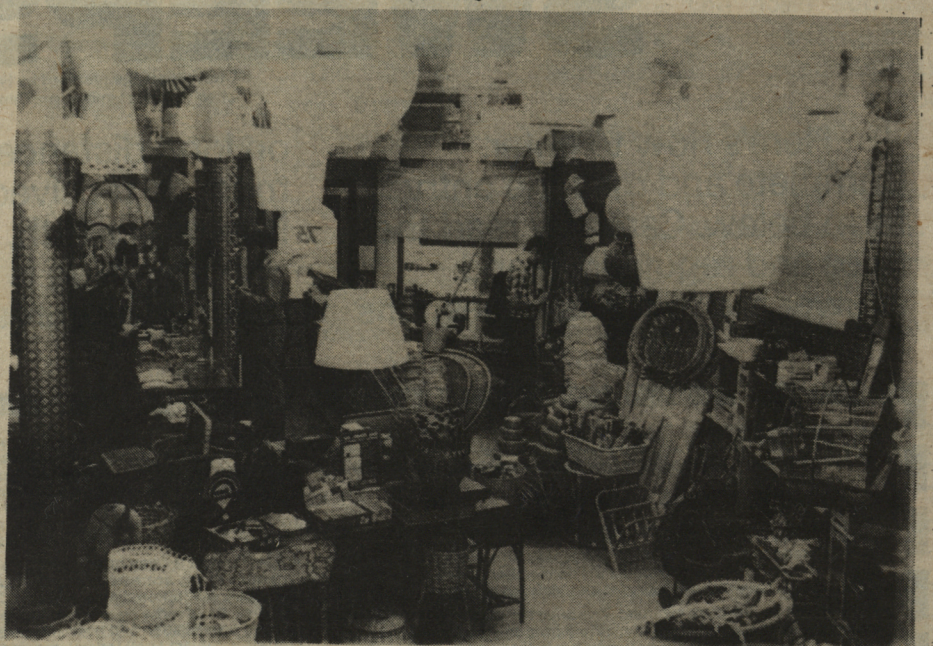
P.S. Maybe next year we can finish the football game.



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