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SENATOR CRANE SURPRISED FIRST STUDENT NAMED TO M.P.H.E.C.

Thursday, Nov. 24, the U.P.E.I. Senate nominated Dolores (Dody) Crane, U.P.E.I. Student Union Senator, to the (MPHEC) Maritime



Provincial Higher Education Commission Nominating Committee.

This is the first time in the history of the MPHEC that a student has been

nominated to this committee.

In an interview with the Sun, Ms. Crane said, "I was very excited and I never suspected that I would be nominated during the senate meeting."

Dody ran against Reges Duffy for this position. She was nominated by Student Union Vice-President, Kevin Gauthier. Mr. Duffy was nominated by Dr. Harry Love.

The next meeting of the MPHEC Nominating Committee will be in Halifax on Jan. 26/1978. Ms. Crane and U.P.E.I. President, R.J. Baker will be attending this meeting.

The first job that the committee will be faced with is to fill the two vacancies on the MPHEC.

These two vacancies oc-

cured when the terms of two of the members on the Board ended. One member was from N.S. and the other from N.B.

The persons they nominate will not be from our university. Leon Loucks is our representative on the MPHEC. Only one representative from each un-

iversity is allowed to sit on the Board.

Our student senator did not know, when interviewed, if students could be nominated to the MPHEC.

Dody is a senior Arts student, from Cornwall, P.E.I. She was elected senator in september of 1977.



MIKE McMAHON AND GEORGE MCGIBBON ANSWER QUESTIONS AT THE GENERAL MEETING WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 30.

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P.C. PRESIDENT ATTACKS NEWSPAPER EDITORIAL

HALIFAX (CUP) -- National Progressive Conservative president Robert Coates in a recent letter has accused the Dalhousie Gazette, student newspaper at Dalhousie University, of playing "fast and loose with the truth" in an editorial condemning his position on South Africa.

But it looks like Coates

is actually the one who's playing with the truth.

The paper's Oct. 27 issue carried an editorial by Valerie Mansour, which supported a local anti-apartheid group campaign to oppose Coates' bid for the Conservative party presidency because of his support for the white

regime in South Africa.

In his Nov. 12 letter, Coates says that although the editorial attacked his support for South Africa's Black homelands policy, based on an article he had published in a Halifax daily earlier this year: "Nowhere

in the article is there any reference to the 'black homeland' policy of the South African government and indeed I have stated on a number of occasions that it is an unworkable concept."

But in his newspaper

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MCMAHON FULFILLS CAMPAIGN PROMISES STUDENT DIRECTORY NOW AVAILABLE

Mike McMahon, U.P.E.I. Student Union Communications Officer, in an interview with the SUN, reported that the 1977-78 Student Directory has been

published and is now available to all full-time students. It can be picked up at the Student Union office in the Barn from Pat Ingraham, the secretary.

The Directory is a list

of all full-time students, their home and university addresses, phone numbers and their year at university.

When questioned why there has been no directory for the past 3 or 4 years, Mr. McMahon stated, "It was due to sheer shirking of responsibility of Communications Officers in the past and lack of interest on the part of

students."

The Communications Officer is responsible for the newspaper, radio station and production of the directory.

It would appear that at least Mr. McMahon is living up to his campaign promises of last Spring's election, these promises being an improved newspaper and radio station and the production of a

directory during the Fall semester.

This is the last week of publication for The U.P.E.I. Sun this semester. We will be back January 12 with our first (maybe our second, if we really work) issue of 1978. Submissions for that issue will be accepted over the Christmas holidays. MERRY CHRISTMAS, HAPPY NEW YEAR and may your pens never run out during your exams.