

English 101 Scheduled to last day

by Ellen Perry

STUDENTS WANT TO KNOW why the exam for the mandatory English 101 course is held on the last day of exams.

Louise Gay, associate registrar, says it is scheduled this way so as to best accommodate students and professors alike. "Because some students in their senior year are taking 101 in combination with their other courses, [this] wouldn't allow the 101 to go any earlier on the schedule", says Gay. She says this reduces the chances of the English 101 exam conflicting with their other exams. Professors are also accommodated by putting English 101 on the last day, she says. Enrollment in this course is limited

to around 25 students and has a common exam, making the exams easier to mark. Because they take less time to mark they can be placed nearer to the deadline for submitting marks.

Gay says that the exam must be scheduled on a weekend or a night to accommodate part time students who may be working during the day.

Gay was reassuring when she said next December the English 101 exam will not be held on the last day. She said, that when English 101 falls on the last exam day one December she makes sure it doesn't happen the following December. However this does not apply to April exams, when the English 101 exam may again fall on the last day of exams.



Senate Happenings

Nancy Lovering

Hello! My name is Nancy Lovering, and I am one of the seven student representatives on the U.P.E.I. Senate. I will be writing a short article after every Senate meeting to inform the campus community of what is happening on the Senate. For anyone who is interested, complete Senate minutes are posted on bulletin boards in Robertson Library and outside the bookstore.

The fourth Senate meeting for this academic year was held on Friday, November 20. At the last meeting several problem areas, including drainage on campus paths and the possibility of an entrance from Mt. Edward Road, had been mentioned to the President. Dr. Eliot said these areas have been referred to the Buildings and Grounds Committee.

In the President's Report Dr. Eliot announced

that the Safety Committee will examine procedures followed during the recent campus fire in order to see if the University was acting responsibly with regard to the safety of students and staff. A special convocation will be held on Sunday, November 29 to honor the 100 anniversary of Lebanese settlement on Prince Edward Island. Besides the presentation of honorary degrees to two prominent members of the Lebanese community, Joe Ghiz and Doreen W. Kays. Students who have completed degrees this semester will be able to receive them if they wish.

The Mission Statement Committee gave a report that the new calendar will be somewhat different than the present one. U.P.E.I. now has a mission statement, which will be published in the calendar. Much of the material which is introduc-

On Friday, November 27, as previously announced, the UPEI Theatre Society will be "hamming it up" in the library 'Pit.' under the marvelous direction of our "head ham", Terry Pratt, we will be letting the bacon fly as we present the short Victorian farce "Box and Cox."

Shelly Robbins and David Larsen (the 'also starring' hams) along with Terry Pratt are ready and eagerly awaiting Friday's showing times of 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. we have been

'strutting our stuff' in public rehearsals in the 'pit' for past weeks and we will be well prepared to face the masses for the real thing by the time Friday rolls around.

If you have seen us rehearsing and maybe got a chuckle out of our still somewhat rough hewn actions then just you wait. On opening day we will deliver polished timing never before seen in the history of the "Pit." So be there, you won't regret your decision. You may even enjoy yourself

enough to consider joining our 'Merry Troup' for next term's major production and do a little hamming of your own.

See you there, bring your funny-bone. Bring a friend. Bring the wife and kids. Bring the cat and dog, but bring yourself to the "Pit" on Friday, November 27. We'd hate to miss your smiling face.

— Stage Management

tory to the actual course listings has been re-written or re-ordered. A new series of paragraphs titled "Characteristics" was presented to the senate for approval, but it was sent back to the committee for some revision before inclusion in the calendar.

Senate approved two new psychology

courses: Cognitive Psychology, which is scheduled to be offered first in 1988-89, and Controversial Issues in Psychology, which will be offered in the 1988 spring semester.

The Nominating Committee presented names to fill vacancies on the University Research, Library, Hon-

orary degrees, and Admissions, Scholarships, and Degrees Committees. Congratulations to all the new members of these committees. ■

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