

# Orr acclaimed SU Treasurer, states plans

By Brian MacLeod

"I do feel good about getting the position, but it's too bad apathy has reached such a state that no one else would run for treasurer," says John Orr, commenting on gaining the title of Student Union Treasurer by acclamation.

The third year business student says indifference has gotten out of hand.

He was always interested in student politics but never had the opportunity to be directly involved. After seeing the Student Union posters announcing the election, Orr thought about it over the February break and "decided to go for it."

Because he has done reasonably well in a number of accounting courses Orr feels qualified for the position of Treasurer.

He also has five years experience in the Four H Club and acted one year as this organization's treasurer.

Orr confessed to being a

keener in political matters, especially those that run close to home.

"I've not been directly involved in Student Union squabbles in the past few years, so I don't feel I am prejudiced by petty politics," says Orr.

He hopes to "handle the Student Union budget in such a way that student pubs and other activities will not be

beyond the reach of the student's financial capabilities."

Another of Orr's main concerns is the cost of student fees. "Sixty dollars is really too much of an increase, and it would be nice to see it lowered if at all possible," said the acclaimed treasurer.

Orr also said WUSC sounds like a good idea, but it worried what will become of

it in future years.

"Issues like this tend to get swept under the rug very easily in the following years," Orr said. He fears the two dollar donation for foreign students may just become part of the student fee.

He stated the WUSC campaign is suffering from poor publicity. He went on to say that he may not have been informed had it not been for

the *Netted Gem*.

The future Treasurer said information, and lots of it, allows for good decision-making.

"I feel it is my duty as a member of the Board of Governors and Student Council, and as a representative of students, to become familiar with issues, make a decision one way or another, and vote accordingly."

Abstaining from a vote is shirking one's duty as a representative, says Orr. He also hopes that "students familiarize themselves with the issues concerning the candidates and their positions on these issues, and do not abstain from voting."

Orr claims that by doing so, a desirable leader will be elected.

## Students encouraged to register for jobs

By David Dickie

Have you registered for summer or full-time employment yet? While registration is voluntary, we will be unable to contact you unless you have registered with us.

Assistance with various aspects of the job hunt, from resume preparation to interviews to letters of application and salary negotiations, is available on an individual or group basis. Contact the

Canada Employment Centre office for further information. We are located on first floor of Main Building.

— Fort Vermilion School Board, Alberta, will be having interviews on campus for Education graduates interested in teaching opportunities with their school board. Interviews are scheduled for March 22, 1985.

— General Foods is interested in hiring a Summer Merchandiser. Must have own car, third year Business student preferred, and must be interested in a future career with General Foods. Application deadline is March 29th.

— College Pro Painters have application forms for those interested in summer work as painters.

— Abégweit Tours is receiving applications for tour guides for the summer months.

— Atlantic Forestry Consultants (New Glasgow and Antigonish, N.S.) are looking for tree planters for the summer months. Application forms are available at the Centre.

— The deadline for applications is **March 22nd** for those employers interested in submitting a proposal under Challenge '85. The Summer Employment/Experience Development (SEED) element of Challenge '85 will help private business, municipalities, and non-profit organizations pay a substantial portion of the cost of giving students that experience. Further information is available by called 1-566-7725 (toll-free).

For the information of those students who com-

pleted summer applications for employment with the Federal Government, inter-

views have already been scheduled for most of these positions. This is to advise that

you will be contacted only **IF** you have been screened in and selected for an interview.

## Scholarships available

By Dawna Noonan

The EVELYN M. CUDMORE SCHOLARSHIP will be awarded to an Island resident who has been trained as a Red Cross water safety instructor by the Canadian Red Cross, PEI Division, and who has worked as a water safety instructor on PEI under the direction of the Canadian Red Cross, PEI Division.

If an undergraduate, the student must be enrolled at UPEI; if a postgraduate, at a Canadian university. The award is valued at approximately \$1000.

Students should apply no later than May 1st. Applications may be received by writing:

Evelyn M. Cudmore  
Scholarship Committee  
62 Prince Street  
Charlottetown, PEI  
C1A 4R2

The HELEN HERRING SCHOLARSHIP of \$500 will be awarded to a student from PEI, who by September, 1985 is enrolled in the final year of a university program leading to a degree in Home Economics. Scholarship applications and regulations are

available from:  
PEI Women's Institute  
P.O. Box 1058  
Charlottetown, PEI  
C1A 7M4  
Deadline: April 30, 1985

The S.R. LAYCOCK BURSARY for studies in community health education will be award to a Canadian resident registered for full time graduate studies in a Canadian or foreign university. The award is in the amount of \$500. Deadline for receipt of applications is May 31, 1985.

# Bosnitch starts own newspaper — UNB

FREDERICTON (CUP) — After two years of feuding with the University of New Brunswick student newspaper *The Brunswickan*, a former student union president John Bosnitch is determined to start his own.

The *Standard*, with a projected circulation of 5000 to 10,000, will focus on student issues, particularly on student rights versus university administration, Bosnitch said.

"(The new paper) will allow for the expression of many of the opinions regularly censored from *The Brunswickan*," he said.

The *Brunswickan* had done a "dismal" job of fighting for students, because it doesn't have the guts to stand up to the administration," Bosnitch said. The *Brunswickan*, a 10,000 circulation weekly, is 119 years old.

The *Standard* hoped *The Brunswickan* would give

them free typesetting, but *The Brunswickan* said they would charge *The Standard* regular rates for the use of the equipment, as they do with all other student groups.

Accused of censorship, *Brunswickan* managing editor Mike MacKinnon said: "If we wanted to censor them, we could have point blank refused to deal with them. We're just treating them like everyone else."

MacKinnon said *The Brunswickan* had fought for students over the past year, including a call for a student owned and operated store on campus, and more strict safety regulations in residence.

"We don't stand up simply because they're administration and we're students. And we don't give the student union a break just because they're students."

The first issue of *The Standard*, a bi-monthly, will appear at the end of March.

## Gold medal nominations

Henry Birks & Sons Gold Medal

The terms of reference for this award are as follows:

This medal is awarded to a graduating student who has demonstrated to an outstanding degree qualities of scholarship and leadership within the University community. Recommendations for this award may be made by any member of the University community to the Awards Committee by 29 March. Winners of the Governor-General's Gold and Silver Medals will not be eligible for this award.

Recommendations and supporting material will be received in this office for onward transmission to the Awards Committee up to **Friday, 29 March 1985.**

Applications are now available for summer employment on campus.

Please see Joan Foster, Kelley Building, before March 20, 1985.

NOTE: Applications will be screened

