

THE WHAT'S IT'S

NAME ?

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NAME THE PAPER

As of yet, our school newspaper is without a name and feels naked without one. Clothe it by giving it one. Write your suggestion on a slip of paper along with your name and course and turn it in at the Newspaper Office, Room E129.

The entries will be judged by a board, consisting of three instructors. If your suggestion is selected, you will win \$5.00 and the knowledge that yours is the name the newspaper will wear all its life. So make it a meaningful one.

ARE YOU SHY OR DISINTERESTED?

The lack of response to the call for help to put out the newspaper is a disgrace to the school.

We are new, big, smart looking, and without tradition. Assist in pouring the foundation upon which the next people can build a good sturdy reputation. Take pride and be joyful in this wonder of ours and leave a mark on it that will not be forgotten next year nor the year after nor 10 years from now.

Come out and attend to the output of the newspaper. We need an editor, an assistant editor, a layout man, department heads, reporters, typists, photographers, and many more people to help run the paper.

If you think you or your friends can

help us out, write your name and ability on a piece of paper and slip it under Mr. Meadus's door of room E141, next door to the Men's Lounge.

However, if the lack still persists, it will make us wonder whether you are shy or disinterested.

LOOK FOR DAZEY

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EDITOR'S NOTE

This being the first issue of the N.A.I.T. student newspaper, we the staff want your opinion on what you want to see in your paper.

We welcome any suggestions or ideas that you might consider helpful. If you are interested in expressing an opinion please address your letters to the Editor and place in E120.

This is your paper and YOU must make it what you want!

The Registrar:

May I add my congratulations Mr. Editor and Staff, for a job well done, and wish you every success in the future. A newspaper must become an integral part of our campus life and reflects not only the atmosphere of our campus but also indicates that the student body is willing and able to assume the responsibilities of citizens. This responsibility goes much beyond the acquisition of a formal education.

It is a preparation for co-existence with one's fellow man. Society today demands an interested and educated public. One cannot ignore the problems of everyday living and must take more than a passing interest therein. An inquiring mind demands that an outlet for new ideas and it is through this process, inclusive of the medium of newspapers, that this change is effected. I urge the utmost use of the facilities of your paper by all of the student body and again wish all of your success in your endeavours.

J. C. Starritt

TECHNOLOGY DIVISION

I consider it a great privilege to write the first report on the Technology Division in the first issue of "The What It". On behalf of the Technology Division I wish the staff of "The What It" every success.

The Technology Division got under way September 3, with the registration of the Medical Lab., Dental, and X-Ray students. By September 17, 529 First Year students were registered with the Division in 18 different Technologies. The staff of the Division now totals 64 full-time and part-time employees.

Student Co-ordinator:

It gives me great pleasure to contribute to the first issue of what we hope will become a permanent tradition in our school.

The primary reason that I hope that this newspaper flourishes is that it will serve as a vehicle of communication which is an integral part of our society. Without communication there is no sharing or dispensing of ideas, no chance of identifying which leads to a feeling of belonging; no chance for a concerted group effort and therefore no society. Secondly the paper can provide an avenue where personal opinion can be presented and discussed openly. Personal opinion, amplified, is the precursor of group opinion which, as far as I am concerned, is the adhesive which holds any dynamic society together.

To successfully fulfill these responsibilities of a newspaper, it will require the utmost in cooperation from staff and students, conscientious objective reporting of the facts, plus an appreciation of the heavy moral responsibility which rests with any newspaper.

I think it is quite evident that the students making up the newspaper staff and their staff-sponsors have undertaken a large and important task and at this time I would like to wish them every success.

Mr. R. G. Meadus

The aim of the Technology Division is to train the semi-professional personnel so badly needed in our modern technological society. Employers who have visited N.A.I.T. are very pleased with our progress, and appear ready and anxious to offer employment to our graduates.

Mr. M. F. Kelcey

CLUB NEWS

DRAMA IN N. A. I. T.

The Drama Club was formed on October 3; since then they have been the busiest club in the school. One will find the members of the club gathered together five nights a week, after school, rehearsing *Blithe Spirit* written by Noel Coward. When forming this club, it was hoped that an achievement would be reached of which we could be very proud. Our sponsors, Mr. Juther, Mr. Townion, and Mr. Proudfoot our executive, John Fermaniuk (director), Jean Dehod (assistant director), Dan Gorden (stage manager), and Bette Paulsen (publicity director); plus our cast, consisting of Diane Hamilton, Fran Zigolyk, Dan Gorden, Barrie Clarke, Sharon Feenstra, Alice Bellay, and Sheila Gillespie have worked together to fulfill our ambition.

Attempted murder, strange spirits, and down to earth fear are just a few of the occurrences in *Blithe Spirit*. We urge all our readers and drama enthusiasts to come see our grand production of *Blithe Spirit* on January 16, 17, and 18.

JOHN FERMANIUK

BUSINESS EDUCATION SOCIETY

The Business Education Society was founded late in September. Now being one hundred and fifty strong the society takes in students from all of the business courses.

The following executive was elected at the first meeting:

President----- Mr. Larry Wickenberg
Vice President----- Mr. Brian Craig
Secretary----- Miss Eileen Conan
Treasurer----- Mr. Roger Mueller
Social Convener----- Miss Rochelle Halvarson
Sports Convener----- Mr. John Fisher

The society is planning a very interesting and stimulating year with a variety of activities.

Under the auspices of the Business Education Society a display was set up for the Chamber of Commerce tour which took place late in October. Displays showing the different courses of study offered by the Business Education Department were shown. The following were the personnel managers from some of the larger businesses in the city also toured the school.

On November 6, Mr. McIntyre, government personnel director presented a very enlightening talk to a mass meeting of Business Education students.

In the future the Business Education Club is planning a hayride with skating and a dance at Rainbow Valley on November 22. A sock hop is also being planned for the moon hour of November 27 with the CHED Excels in Attendance.

HEAVY DUTY TECHNOLOGY CLUB

The first of the year found the Heavy duty boys congregating around the diesel shops, and in class rooms playing with slide rules.

On a bright sunny morning, October 1, the HEAVY DUTY TECHNOLOGY CLUB was formed. With school spirit in command, the class set out as a club. Officers of the club were elected and a constitution drafted. The club as a whole decided upon a jacket of blue and gold as their club colors.

The club gathers at lunch hours in the cafeteria for an informal discussion. The club's main purpose is to promote fellowship and brotherhood in the student body of the N.A.I.T., and secondarily; to lay a foundation for future Heavy Duty Clubs.

We would also, like to announce that plans are underway for a gigantic dance. The proposed date of this gathering is December 7. Come one, come all and have a good time.

The society is also confronted with the ordering of blazers, jackets or sweaters before before Christmas.

The members of the Business Education Society are looking forward to a very interesting and stimulating year at N.A.I.T.
ROGER MUELLER

GUN CLUB

The N.A.I.T. Gun Club has been formed. The steering committee was elected at the last meeting with Barry Burkholder elected president and John McDonald, secretary - treasurer. The time and place for future meetings will be announced over the T.B.C. and posted outside the general office. A rifle range will be set up in the school shortly. All new members will be welcome.

If your news is not in this issue of the newspaper, please appoint a reporter to see to the job

N.A.I.T. Yearbook

The yearbook was formed early in the year with a staff and name choosen. The staff is as follows:
Wolfgang Frocher-----Editor
Don Kelner-----Business Editor
Frank MacDonald-----Assistant Business Editor
Gordon Jackson-----Photo Editor
Wesely Millis-----Layout Editor
Mr. R. Hodgson-----Advisor
The name is: "The Northern Torch".
Pictures and layout of the first few pages are nearly completed. The yearbook will be approximately 176 pages.



DAZEY

Dear Dazey,

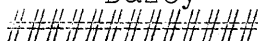
My boyfriend insists on growing a beard! He claims that it brings out the man in him. From the point of appearences it's terrible-- but I wouldn't have the heart to tell him. Not only does it look bad but it leaves me with a terrible rash on Sunday mornings to which the members of our church object very highly.

Undecided

Dear Undecided,

I suggest you wear Large Brush Rollers on your next couple of dates, I think this should do the trick.

Sincerely,
Dazey



Dear Dazey,

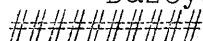
My parents say that I can't go steady but I think that I am emotionally capable of coping with all the problems of going steady. What do you think?

Frustrated

Dear Fruatrated,

It's the free line that catches the biggest fish.

Sincerely,
Dazey



Dear Dazey,

I am now living in Edmonton, away from home. I receive a letter from my true love almost every day. In the big city there are many temptations, such as girls that are also living away from home. These

DENTAL ASSISTANCE CLUB

Since the D.A. Club was formed September 20, it has been a "Going Concern". Our first activity was on October 31, when several of the girls went to the Kiwanis Children's Home and the Ex-servicemans Home to take the children from door to door. (Who had the most fun?)

A coffee party was held in the cafeteria after classes with the Archetictural Technology students. At noon, the same day we presented a Soc Hop, both projects being a great success.

There will be another Soc Hop featuring the Rebels on December 10. EVERYONE WELCOME! To go along with the latest fad the D.A.'s will spon sor a HOCTENANY! Friday January 24. Tickets will be on sale soon.

INDUSTRIAL LAB.

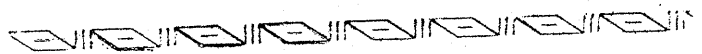
Students of Industrial Lab. Technology would like to announce the formation of a Departmental Club.

Our members are few but we plan on taking our share of the honors in Intremural Sports. We insured a pass mark on our final exams by letting the instructors beat us in a curling game.

We had a technical feild trip all lined up for Las Vegas, but due to circumstances beyond our control, it was cancelled.

Lacking enough human and financial resources we would be interested in cooperating with some richer club in sponsoring a dance or some other social function.

In this first issue of this newspaper, we would like to extend best wishes for every success.



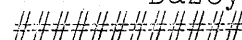
girls seem willing to find new friends and so am I. My problem is that I don't know how to tell my true love that I have found greener pastures.

Forlorn

Dear Forlorn,

Tell her nothing, chances are that she has also found greener pastures too.

Sincerely,
Dazey



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 Mr. Andrech

The above are interm staff,
 we would like a permanant staff:

*A Message
 for You*

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR:

Dear Editor:

What is our student council trying to pull off? It looks like they are trying to make the budget last for several years. Two of our most active clubs have had their yearly budgets turned down in the past week. There is approximatly eleven, thats right ELEVEN Thousand dollars in the bank. What are they doing with it??

There have been rumors that this council has been holding meetings. Where are they? What is being done? The odd set of minutes don't prove anything. This is supposed to be our students union. Why aren't the meetings open to the general student body? Why aren't there notices posted as to when these meetings are taking place?? Let us find out what they are doing

Here is something;
 REPRESENTATIVES ARE KICKED OUT OF THE MEETING WHILE OUR STUDENT COUNCIL VOTES ON CLUB BUDGETS.

Are they afraid to let us know who is stabbing us in the back??

IS THIS DEMOCRACY ??????????????????

Yours truly

Edd Hep

As our editions will be run monthly we allowed the student body to reply to the above letter:

REPLY BY THE COUNCIL

Dear Mr. Editor and Edd Hep,

We are not the students council. We are acting as temporary council until an elected council can be formed. All clubs are represented at the council, and if any one student is in doubt as to what is going on at these meetings he may go directly to his club representative.

Concerning another point in your letter we have \$11,000.00 for students union fees.

Expenditures are as follows;
 Yearbook \$ 3,500.00
 Drama club 400.00
 Newspaper 350.00
 Art club 50.00

The above totals \$ 4,300.00 . We now have approximately \$ 7,300.00 and not \$ 11,00.00. Further expenditures which must be looked forward to are as follows; not necessarily to be used this year.

Athletics	20%
Administration	6%
Social	3%
Association clubs	10 %
Departmental Clubs	4.5%
Publication	40 %

The above were decided by council with Mr. Meadus advising.

Concerning "kicking people out" of council meetings when voting on a presented budget we only eliminate pressure that might be present. The secret ballot is also a democratic procedure. Meetings, which are open to observers, are held Wednesday, 4:15 in E137.

We always appreciate CONSTRUCTIVE criticism.

Thank you

Interim Council

REPLY FROM THE EDITOR

I am very gratified to learn that someone in the school is concerned about the way the council is running our school. Of course, this student is not to well informed about the councils activities. This is due to the lack of information published by the council. This could have been eliminated had a council member spoke on the T.B.C. following the council meeting or by public meeting during a noon hour.

It is the opinion of this editor that it, is a disgrace to democratic government that the council, in their own words, " eliminate pressures that might be present". It is a shame that council has to be protected from the people it represents!

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