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## The Destructive Left

The middle class throughout the free world is under constant harassment these days from a militant, violent and dedicated group of left-wing revolutionaries who are bent on the final destruction of our way of life. They want to replace our society, our values, our traditions with a Communist, collective type of society where the well-being of the individual is subordinate to the will of the state - a state and a government which will not tolerate the ordinary free play of diverse political thought in the community and which will install a Communist dictatorship and complete the farce by calling it a "people's democracy".

The left-wing, by infiltrating and manipulating the "hippie" element in society, is making a determined effort to take over our universities and, in the process, destroy academic freedom. Those responsible for the administration of our universities should stand firm against the marches, sit-ins and the noisy threats of this vocal minority. These young people are not interested in furthering their education in tax-supported institutions but instead they look on the universities as a vehicle to Communist power.

East York Mayor True Davidson has resigned from the board of directors of the Metro Social Planning Council in protest against its takeover by the New Left. In announcing her resignation Miss Davidson said, "once you begin to pit your own judgments before the judgments of society, and put violence and the use of threats before law and order, then democracy is dead". If we allow a breakdown in law and order to take place, if we allow a ruthless, misguided minority to destroy our free institutions then we all shall be losers. The maintenance of law and order is basic to the creation of a satisfactory climate in which the parliamentary process can grow and develop and, in doing so, meet the chang-

ticipatory democracy" but they cannot supplant and can only marginally influence the ordinary, representative democracy of elections and rule by law. The ultimate logic of direct action, of bloodshed and the destruction of public and private property is revolution. Sooner or later, those who engage in politics have to confront the truth that politics is concerned not only with ideas and ideals but also with interests and institutions. Even when revolutions succeed, the practice of "new politics" soon becomes old politics because the selfish, private interests of human beings lem, but it is only a dream.

and the hard facts of exercising power through large, bureaucratic institutions are still at work. It is an old dream that mankind can escape Rambling Around these limits of the human condition and somehow create a New Jerusa-



Anarchy On The March

The Important Role Of The Surveyor

theodolite and tape are a common sight during the

fine weather. The instrumentman, peering through

a transit (theodolite) as it is commonly called, and

the chainmen out measuring distances seem just a

North American continent would have been hamp-

ered. Always advancing with the pioneer home-

steader and builder and often well ahead of them,

the surveyor provided that slender but indispensable

vanguard without which settlement would have been

of measuring the physical features and boundaries

of any portion of the earth's surface and delineating

them clearly on a map or plan. The part of the

earth's surface to be surveyed varies from contin-

ents to foundations for cottages. There are many

large areas taking into account the curved surface of

the earth. Topographic surveyors delineate the

physical features and configurations of land surfaces

such as mountains, lakes, rivers; and the location of

cities, tunnels and routes of one kind and another.

Hydrographic surveyors measure the depth of water

length and direction of mine shafts (vertical) and

adits (horizontal). Construction surveyors set out

the stakes to guide construction crews and land sur-

veyors make all the surveys pertaining to property

boundaries. Land surveyors constitute the largest

It is a field women may enter, but so far it is pre-

vey party consists of three or more men - the chief,

who may be a licensed surveyor, plus two or three

instruments as the theodolite, transit, level, telluro-

meter and geodimeter. The chainmen measure dis-

Surveyors may be professionals or technicians.

Surveyors seldom work alone. The typical sur-

The instrument man sets up and operates such

Geodetic surveyors make precise surveys of

Surveying has been defined as the art or science

natural part of the scenery.

utterly chaotic and lawless.

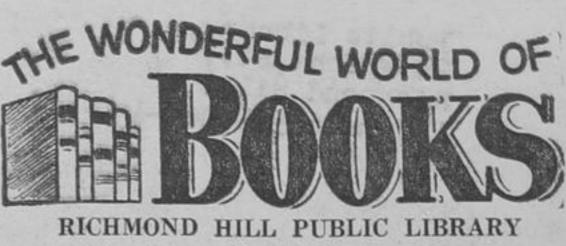
dominantly male.

technicians.

specialties in the field of surveying.

Survey parties doing their field work with

Without the surveyor, the opening up of the



New Spring Arrivals Offer Wide Selections

MYSTERY Bell, Josephine, "The Fennis-vanished

Sally Combes had just finisha two-month temporary job Becker, Stephen, "When The as a secretary to her uncle in War Is Over". Bermuda. As a farewell pres- Sometimes a little piece of ent, he arranged for her to go history comes to light after a should be cleaned up, and they on a cruise around the Carib-long time, and falls into the bean aboard the M. S. "Selina". hands of an artist. He proceeds

Campbell, Karen, "Suddenly to tell important lies and with

It was understandable that truth. should be a little nervous. The At Akiya". "Juliet Delta" was flying the This haunting novel set in powerless to regulate the gravel same route to Panama on which modern Japan tells the story of industry, and most provinces another Astroliner with an a man possessed. Butler is a have made only weak efforts to Davis, Dorothy S, "Where fitting.

The Dark Streets Go" The story of a New York Waterfall"

In the Spotlight 9

By MARY MONKS

Baha'i "Happening" Coming To

Rochdale College This Month

divisions in humanity.

other guys got a place up there as well.

we look for the needle marks.

centres in over 130 nations.

FICTION

It seemed an ideal holiday to tell lies about it - for it

Stewardess Lisa Massingham Butler, William, "The House over profit and gain.

murder, is also a moving novel The Waterfall is a strong government to insure the reof a young priest on trial before modern expression of the con- habilitation of lands spoiled by cept of body and soul - an ex- the industry Eberhart, Mignon, "Message ploration of the physicality that The recommendations, which

engulfs human life. What did the cryptic message Harris, MacDonald, "Trepleff", cal lip service to the growing from Hong Kong mean? To The narrator of this sad, fun-protest against the operators, Marcia Lowry's father-in-law, ny, completely engrossing book are not good enough. They who has never given up hope, is a successful psychiatrist with are only a patronizing gesture it indicates that his ne'er-do- a lovely wife and family and all to those who have suffered over well son Dino is still alive three the toys that middle affluence the years at the hands of the

ceeded his murdered father, local communities. King Philip of Macedon.

NON-FICTION Collard, Elizabeth, "Nineteenth

The results of 20 years' reamic wares used by Canadians in the nineteenth century. Cruso, Thalassa, "Making

Things Grow". Here at last, for everyone who has ever wanted to grow beautiful houseplants is a book that dispels forever the tire-When I was growing up, two topics were never brought to the dinner table - politics and religion. and shows you exactly what to Being something of a rebel, I offended on both scores, do - winter, summer, spring and fall - to make your potted and administrators. to the discomfiture of my mother, and the delight of my radical father. It is this separation of belief plants, window boxes and hangfrom living, which still exists in far too many

quarters, that is responsible for the more obvious

Christian and Jew, Protestant and Roman One's first encounter with a Catholic, black and white, each is bounded by his own dogma and hang-ups, and each believes himself to be of the chosen people and the devil take the rest. as simple as that. There they convention attended. are, 15 of them, a couple of fine The policy requires that, if I've always liked (?) the story of a heaven composed males, half a dozen females and travelling by air, the trustee of many walled cities, with every sect snug behind an assortment of cubs - all ly- must buy an economy class its own high wall, ignorant of the fact that the the ground like tawny bolsters, may travel first class. Love thy neighbor still means to get on with

those socially acceptable in one's own circle, and young people proclaiming peace, love and brotherhood of man are labelled irresponsible cranks, and As in the old days at the dinner table I've taken religion out of its tidy corner, and for a good reason. rical memoir. Instead she of they share transportation when-Many of you will have heard of the Baha'i Communfers a detailed, unsparing self- ever possible. scrutiny and a passionate, some- Registration fee and an ality, but may not understand the full significance of times comic, always candid ac- lowance of up to \$35 a day will its aim, and the steps that are being taken to count of her experience wheth- be paid for out of town convenin lakes and rivers. Mine surveyors establish the achieve it. For over 100 years, the movement has er in New York, New Orleans tions. been spreading the teaching of Baha'u'llah, founder and Hollywood, in Spain during For local conventions and of the community, which is now established in 30,000

War II and twenty years later. mileage. The founder predicted a world-wide social change of sweeping proportions, both materially and spirit-Arranging In Color". A complete A to Z guide to

ually. It is with the latter that the Baha'i is concerned, and since it is the youth of the world who are most sensitive to the change occurring in the flower arrangement are clearly Hodge. structure of society at all levels, it is to youth that described from small arrangethe movement has its greatest appeal. These are ments for the house, to larger arrangements for weddings, in any year, but the preamble to the people on whom the future depends, and the churches and parties. ideals of Baha'i offer new hope on a pretty murky Masson, Georgina "Queen

Christina"

The central message of the Baha'i community Of all the women of history is the complete unification of all mankind as the only remedy for the ills which beset us. While this sounds a rather far-flung and nebulous ideal which has been preached before only to be overlaid by the arrogance of man, the ideal being lost and forgotten beneath a welter of form, liturgy and often bigotry, the members of the community are taking practical

steps to reclaim those who have dropped out through despair and lack of any constructive alternatives, and one of the first rules of Baha'i is "no drinks, no total military defeat one of the tees attend a convention Many addicted to both have been reclaimed and world's great powers - its secgiven new purpose, including well-known entertainers and musicians. There is no evangelism in the community, certainly no tub-thumping or hallelujas, but, to quote one of the members, "These young people are vital, lively and 'with it', having a sense feat of the French Army. of direction and 'high' on happiness and brother-

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### Murder Of The Countryside

(St. Thomas Times-Journal) Dozens of gravel pit operations across Canada are rapidly chewing up thousands of acres of beautiful countryside and causing misery to hundreds of families.

They disrupt the life of longestablished and once quiet rural communities with the almostyears after he has inexplicably round-the-clock roar of heavy gravel truck traffic. For those living close to pit operations, noise and dust are constant vexations. Properties are de-

valued. should not be permitted to continue operations on the doorstep of residential communities. More important, priorities must luck and skill create a greater be established - peace and comfort must take precedence

Municipalities are almost identical cargo - gold bullion master of psychological narra- regulate the operators. Ontario, - had vanished without a trace tive for which his economical for example, is considering rebut poetic prose is particularly commendations of a legislative committee that would require Drabble, Margaret, "The operators to pay security deposits of up to \$100,000 to the

give nothing more than politi-

Renault, Mary, "Fire From It is time the industry cooperated with municipal and The Story of Alexander the provincial governments to try Great's life from childhood to to find a way that will make the age of twenty when he suc- gravel pit mining acceptable to If this connot be done, then

it is time to ban gravel pits from inhabited areas.

### Century Pottery And Porcelain Catholic Trustees Set search, this study, the first of Policy For Members Attending Conventions

Faced with long lists of concerning various aspects of education, York County Roman Catholic School Board recently agreed it should have a policy to serve as a guide to trustees

At its regular meeting on ing plants flourish and give de- April 7, the board approved policy recommendations presen-Dominis, John, "The Cats Of ted by Superintendent Joe

The policy will allow each pride of lions is an unforget- trustee a budget of \$300 for the table experience. Suddenly year; expense statements must someone says: "Lions". It is be submitted following each

ing in a stupor, scattered over ticket, but if travelling by train

drunk with sleep, sun and food. The board will pay ten cents Hellman, Lillian, "An Un- a mile for trustees travelling by car, or the amount of economy An Unfinished Woman speaks class air-fare-whichever is the for Lillian Hellman's life in the lesser, and if two or more peoworld outside the theatre. It is ple are attending the same conin no sense a predictable theat- vention the policy recommends

the Civil War, or in Moscow conferences trustees will be reand Leningrad during World imbursed for expenses plus Massingham, Betty, "Flower Trustees will be given dis-

the tricky but worthwhile art of wish to attend, choosing from a flower arranging, all types of list to be prepared by Mr.

There is no obligation for a trustee to attend a convention the policy states:

"In order for board members

to keep properly informed about none has been more enigmatic educational developments and paradoxical - not even Eng- practices, and to become more land's Elizabeth I - than thoroughly conversant with Christina of Sweden. She was their role as trustees, and to exa woman who would have pre- change ideas with trustees and ferred to be a man and went to senior officials from other scandalous lengths to behave jurisdictions, the board believes that its members should, from Shirer, William, "The Col- time to time, attend conventions, lapse Of the Third Republic". | conferences or workshops."

In six lonely weeks in the It is also recommended that spring and summer of 1940 a for companionship and discussingle battle brought down in sion purposes, at least two trus-

ond largest empire, an old and AURORA: Scanlon Bakeries, highly civilized democracy which which recently shut down and Thomas Jefferson said was put more than 100 people out of "Every man's second country". work, is back in operation, under The world watched Hitler's de- a new name, Granny's. The firm will continue to turn out Spremo, Boris. "Boris Spremo the well-known Granny's butter

> tive technology, building construction technology, architectural drafting, woodworking, sheet metal, heating and air conditioning, electrical technology, electricity, electronics, mechanical technology, machine shop, mechanical drafting, welding,

the board's role as an em-The purpose of each subcommittee, said Mr. Chapman, is to create better educatonal experiences in order that students will become

In past reports to the board, the committee has stressed the importance of updating teachers, that teachers be thoroughly familiar with the good points of present day business and industry. It has also suggested that the board consider having teachers go into business or industry for a year, then return to the classroom.

special education, special vocational occupations, secretarial, accounting, marketing and data processing. Various technical, techno-

logical, business and commercial courses are offered at nearly all secondary schools in the county, and the committee has recommended that capable students be encouraged to consider Sub-committees are work- management in business and

ing patterns of society. Marches and sit-ins may be "par-

### Yonge Not Throughway

Markham Township Director of Planning Kunio Hidaka has alerted Southern York County to a destructive danger facing communities in

the Yonge Street corridor. Planner Hidaka particularly singled out the Town of Richmond Hill as being threatened with a kind of development death. But his warning should surely be noted equally by Thornhill, Langstaff, Richvale, Oak Ridges and Yonge Street commun-

ities to the north. Mr. Hidaka sees a basic conflict of interest between the local communities and what apparently is the policy being promoted by the provincial Department of Highways and echoed in a York County planning

office report. The issue is clear. Either provincial plans to increase the use of Yonge Street as a high speed and high volume through highway must be stopped, or Richmond Hill and these other communities will

be split. Communities and neighborhood ties years in the making are not something which should be sacrificed to slide rule thinking at the Queen's Park bureaucracy.

We agree wholeheartedly with the

mendation that the Yonge Street corridor urgently needs attention. We must strive to make it much safer, more beautiful and more useful.

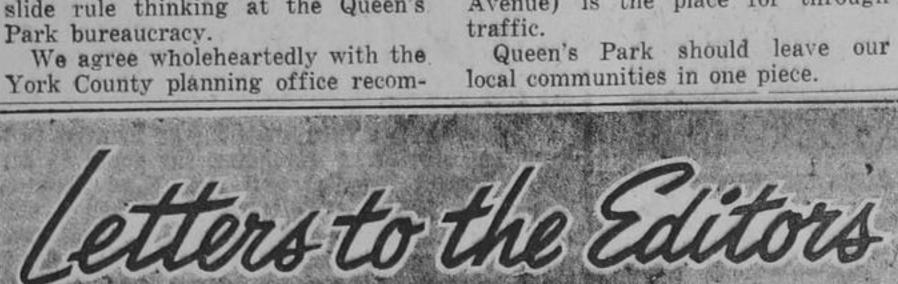
Planners in Markham, Vaughan, Whitehurch and King Townships, and in Richmond Hill, should be paying increasing attention to the condition of Yonge Street.

Indeed, Yonge Street improvements are even now underway in the town and great effort is being exerted by citizens and businessmen to do a good job.

Many of the improvements recommended in the York County planning report should be implemented. But we agree with the Markham

Township planning director that Yonge Street must not become a throughway. Yonge Street must remain a local highway for traffic with either a

local destination or a local point of departure. If through traffic needs more room, the province should get on with another route like Highway 400. The proposed Highway 404 on the west side of Don Mills Road (Woodbine Avenue) is the place for through



LET QUEBEC SEPARATE | and press will soon wither and al", that Canada - as any other

country - can thrive only if in-One of the motives for Irish dividual enterprise is approved, Dear Mr. Editor: If Rene Levesque, the Parti independence in 1917 was the encouraged and practised. Quebecois and separatists suc-preservation of Gaelic culture, would also agree that society ceed in the April 29 provincial The Irish government has made depends upon the moral, spiritelection it may mean the end strong efforts, but today Gaelic ual and physical fibre of the in-

of French culture in North is a dying tongue, used mainly dividual English Canada should co- treme west of Ireland. From with the crooked thinking that work himself. operate if Quebec leaves. In across the Irish sea, English equates individual enterprise every national crisis since 1867, TV, radio, press and business with personal selfishness as the the Red River Rebellion 1870, are submerging Gaelic culture. practical basis for a successful the Northwest Rebellion 1885, In one St. Patrick's Day Parade personal life and a harmonious World War 1, the depression in Dublin, a sign was carried social life. when constitutional problems "If you are Irish, speak Irish"

strong moral fibre are to be disrupted effective action, and It was written in English so found in many walks of life and World War II, the presence of people could understand it. in many persons whose living Quebec in Confederation was a I hope Quebec stays in Canmay spring from private busisource of weakness, not ada and preserves French culness, from government duties strength. If Quebec separates, ture, but this is not our fight. Canada should say "bon voyage" We, the Anglophone majority, impersonal concerns such as and there should be no army of will have our future decided by General Motors. It is doubtful occupation east of the Ottawa. Quebec as to whether we stay to me that the search for more Anglophone Canada already in Confederation or join the dollars at any cost to other becoming daily more American- U.S.A. We can only be interes- people is, especially conducive

ized, will then inevitably join ted observers. to strong moral fibre: and the U.S.A. Quebec will be a The present threat of separa- whilst it certainly is true that French island of 6,000,000 in an tism has already cost Quebec a it is a natural desire to make Anglo Saxon sea of 220,000,000, serious flight of capital, unem-your own way, it is surely quite State supported French TV, ployment, and economic loss, as true that it is also a natural radio, literature and hopes of Actual separation will cost Que-desire to help others and onebilingualism outside Quebec, bec even more in dollars, but self at the same time,

together with the Francophone by separating, Rene Levesque As for the quotation from communities beyond the pro- and company will probably soon Winston Churchill - whoever vince, will probably shortly die. destroy the French culture they wishes, intends or is actually building a "society in which nobody counts for anything -JOHN MEDCOF, where enterprise gains no re-Mount Albert. ward, and thrift no privileges". The Liberals? The Conserva- trustees, administrators and \* \* \* \*

> I cannot imagine Pierre Tru- courses. RONALD PERRY.

tances and the rodmen use a level rod or range pole to assist in measuring elevations, distances and directions. In addition there may be axemen to help clear lines through bush and forest and to perform other simple tasks. Most apprentice surveyors carry out all these tasks at some stage of their career for there is no better preparation for the man who plans to direct by a few thousand in the ex- I would disagree, however, a survey party than to be able to do a stint of the drugs". Surveying is one of the most diversified occu-

pations in Canada, in terms of employment, residence and opportunities for advancement. Basically three types of career are open - licensed surveyor, survey engineer and survey technician.

The licensed surveyor may set himself up in (Continued on Page 14)

County Board Committee Updates Vocational Education

course is being taught, why it is being taught in a particular school, whether the present curriculum is satis-

should be changed. and the relationship of Sub-committees are atcourses to business and intempting to find out what major equipment and space Several sub-committees facilities will be needed for have been appointed, includa specific course, what equiping laymen who are skilled in various areas of business ment is now on hand to teach a particular course, and how and industry as well as many pupils a particular teachers of vocational teaching area will accommo-

factory and, if not, how it

date. Vaughan Trustee Morley. The sub-committees are advisory vocational commitmaking recommendations regarding work experience programs for various courses, and have been asked to con-

placement of graduates and

Mr. Kinnee's committee, which is also responsible for the evening courses offered in county schools, is studying ways in which special facilities for vocational courses could be used for adults.

A sub-committee chaired by William Neale of Thornhill spent three months studying welding courses in York County schools, and its report was submitted to the tee at a meeting in Don Head Secondary School on March 12. The committee had ex-

sidered what the curriculm or dropouts from the should be to prepare welding students for jobs in industry.

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Since a number of lay members are new to the committee this year, Board Chairman John MacKay and Education Director Sam Chapman were present at the AV

amined facilities and equip- as community colleges, and ing in the areas of automo- industry.

better people.

Committee meeting in March. Speaking of the aims and objectives of the county board Mr. Chapman referred to five areas of concern: educational service, financial objectives, relationship of educational enterprise to the county, the place of the board in relationship to other educational institutions such

#### Quebec as one-third of a claim to defend. nation of 20,000,000 has a veto over Ottawa which cannot effectively act against the wishes of an overwhelming majority in INDIVIDUAL ENTERPRISE tives? The NDP? Quebec (viz. conscription in two Dear Mr. Editor; world wars). With separatism, I would agree with Richard deau, Robert Stanfield or Tomthis leverage will end. The Lawson, whose "Letters To The my Douglas taking such a stand.

isolated French island of Que- Editors" on "Individual Enterbec, subject to overwhelming prise" was published in the English TV, radio, commerce March 26 issue of "The Liber-

Kinnee, chairman of the advisory vocational committee, 298 Palmer Avenue, told the board at a meeting on March 23 that the com-Richmond Hill.

York County Board of Edu-

cation secondary schools, the

board's advisory vocational

committee is taking a hard

look at equipment, facilities,