

Become Council President Without Trying

HOW TO BECOME A STUDENT COUNCIL PRESIDENT WITHOUT REALLY TRYING

In view of the apparent indecision (or lack of ambition) on the part of several of our colleagues to venture into that supreme challenge of competing for the student council presidency, methought it would be in order to compose an infallible scheme in which one would gain this political prestige — a shrewd, ingenious guide along the road to election, and ultimately, the Presidency.

HOW TO TELL IF YOU ARE STUDENT COUNCIL PRESIDENT MATERIAL

Practically anyone is a potential student council president. Proof of this statement can be found by observing the previous four or five presidents, especially the present one, who is a perfect example of "anyone".

The idea is to MAKE yourself S. C. president material. With your objective in mind, weave a completely new personality. Develop a superiority complex. Such a complex will raise you above the masses, at least in spirit. (A potential S.C. president is never "one of the crowd"). An "overly-friendly guy" who likes to ramble on about anything and nothing is of an old, traditional breed of student council presidents. Learn to talk incoherently but with great feeling and emotion. As soon as you have fooled yourself and your friends into believing that you are definitely presidential material, you have started, as it were, the ball rolling.

HOW TO DEVELOP THE PROPER IMAGE

Assuming in your own mind that you are a potential president, the next important step toward your goal is to develop the proper political image. It is of primary importance to dress with your goal in mind. Dress as though you ARE president. Carry a black umbrella and wear a conservative tie. Never, and I emphasize, NEVER wear school colours, jackets, crests, or ribbons. The idea is to create the "I am above the college crowd" image. Do not wear a suit constantly, only perhaps twice a week. Try to obtain a pair of Yale cufflinks or a Harvard tiepin. Always wear loafers.

It will help your image to be bald. (Baldness is always associated with wisdom, experience, and shrewdness. Unfortunately, it is also associated with impotency, but this triviality will not damage your image in the least.) If you are not bald, and do not have even a faint indication of a receding hairline, then get a crewcut. Try to appear bald.

Under no circumstances would you grow any facial hair. This includes the growing of a beard. Despite a common trend, it is unwise to smoke a pipe. Too many collegians are engaging in the pipe-smoking pastime. Do not lower yourself to their level. Cigarettes are overdone to the point of being acceptable.

When you walk, always saunter. Never appear as though you are in a hurry. Do not run to catch a bus. Saunter. Do not dash wildly from the path of an

oncoming truck. Saunter. You must impress people to believe that you are cool, casual, and calculating.

It is a mistake to associate with any female member of your student body. Being involved with such a person, whether casually or intimately, lowers your rising image. Always import a young lady expressly for your purposes. If you are acquainted with a shimmering honey-blond or a

Hopping Thru The Pasture With Weedy

ravishing redhead living out-of-town, then waste no time in bringing her to the campus. Your colleagues will admire your discretion. Everyone notices the "nouvelle". Make sure she plays the part too. It would smash the very foundations of your striving should your lady friend accidentally blurt:

"Oh Fred, I haven't seen you in years. You're looking so much older."

or
"You're a real friend, Fredrick; a real bud."

You should fill her in on the details in a letter or on the way from the airport.

It is a smart move to be engaged. Therefore, before, during, and after your import's visit, act as though you ARE engaged.

For example, at a social gathering do not take part in the routine drinking, petting, and singing. Let the others do this. You can

profit by their foolishness. Sit on the floor with a hand on your "fiancee's" foot and fondle it knowingly. Talk quietly of the "old days". You will say:

"Remember when I met you that summer? You were floating on a rubber raft and I was sidewalk surfing."

If she has taken her cue, the reply will be:

"Ah yes. That was the summer of '57."

Everyone will be amazed at your lasting romance.

Be ready for opportunity to knock. Should the occasion arise wherein you have the chance to make yourself known, grasp your opportunity. For example, if a student demonstration is eminent, then YOU lead it. Do not wait for another glory-seeker to snatch the "succes d'estime" from under your nose. The current "freeze-the-fees" crisis has good student demonstration potential. If you instigate a student uprising, you will be lauded by administration, and loved by your colleagues. Your colleagues are your votes. Even if your "demonstration" fails, you will gain respect, invaluable to your image.

A clever trick is to throw down your newspaper in disgust. (Make sure that it falls open at the editorial page.)

Memorize about fifteen quotations and use them often, even if they do not suit the occasion. For example, if someone should say to you:

"By George, you need a haircut."

Then you inadvertently reply:

"Indecision is Time's Fool."

or
"Res ipsa loquitur."

There are numerous shrewd tactics which can expand your image to magnificent proportions. Send yourself a telegram and time its arrival for the middle of an important lecture. Receive it in a disturbed, irritated manner.

At any social function, (banquet, ball, or bowling party) have yourself paged. Everyone will think you are a V.I.P.

Go everywhere by taxi, even if it is "around the corner and out of sight."

Keep checking your watch. People will think that you have numerous appointments to keep.

If you do not wear glasses, use a pair of rims.

While sitting with several companions, consult your watch, and excuse yourself saying:

"My God, I almost forgot. I'm supposed to have dinner with Walter Kinsey in the Evangeline Room tonight."

No one (including yourself) has probably ever heard of Walter Kinsey, however, they will immediately assume that he is a significant individual by observing your concern and haste.

If the occasion arises wherein you stand conversing with one of your political opponents, take him off-guard. Jump away at a precise instant, shouting (for all to hear):

"Well god damn it Jerry. I may not have as broad an outlook on it as you, but at least I'm on the STUDENTS' side."

(You will only be able to try this once. Use it at an opportune moment.)

If someone offers you advice, you should say:

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Bazin Urges Aid For University Students...

Education is a right, and no one should be barred from University for financial reasons, CUS President Jean Bazin told Student Council Sunday.

Bazin said that tuition fees have almost doubled in Canada in the past few years, "far out of proportion with student income from summer employment, parents, bursaries and scholarships."

"A major breakthrough took place when the loan plan came into operation," Bazin said. The Canadian Union of Students "put pressure on the government so that the loans would be available by September. We made clear that we wanted a statement of government policy on scholarships and bursaries," he said.

"The net result was that we met 55 MP's last June, and the loans were moved to take priority over the flag bill."

Bazin explained that the Means Survey is now CUS' major undertaking. He said 20,000 students will be asked to fill out a questionnaire, and urged everyone to "help make sure we get 100% return, we'd do a better job than they could."

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Bazin said the government has several surveys of its own on financing of higher education, including the Bladen Commission, and the provincial research projects.

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working to promote relations between English and French students. Bazin, who is French himself, replied "CUS is wide open and desires contact with the Union General des Etudiants du Quebec (UGEQ)". He said that since UGEQ was still in its beginning stages, he hopes for full co-operation with them in the future. "There is a room in Canada for Student Unity".

Asked about specific activity undertaken by CUS, Bazin pointed out that during the Manitoba strike CUS had been "right in there." He said that members of the executive made themselves available for advice on tactical questions.

Because they are convinced that the federal government actually wishes to give more aid to education, CUS, according to Bazin, has been asking provincial Premiers to bring the topic up at the next Dominion-Provincial Conference. Bazin feels it is only concern for the "constitutional sensibilities" of the provinces which holds the federal government back from programs of greater aid.

So far, three premiers are committed to placing "aid to education" high on the agenda of the next Conference.

Bazin told Council that CUS "is you", and is only as good as its member Student Councils.

Gazette Editor Michel Guite inquired that since CUS was only as good as its Student Councils, how could Bazin reconcile spending so much money on it each year?

Bazin answered, "You are asking me to make a judgment on this Student Council, and that I refuse to do."

Avert Fee Increase At Alberta, U.W.O.

OTTAWA (CUP) — Tuition fee increases expected at the University of Alberta and the University of Western Ontario will not go into effect this year.

The University of Alberta Board of Governors announced last week that there will be no tuition fee increase this fall for students in undergraduate and professional faculties and schools. Fees for certain other categories of students at the university, including graduate students, however, will be increased.

The announcement at the University of Alberta came after a student brief re-asserting the Canadian Union of Students (CUS) opposition to fee increases without corresponding increases in student aid, was accepted by the board of governors. The student submission, from the Calgary and Edmonton campuses also called for a hold-the-line policy on tuition fees until the CUS student means survey and the report of the Bladen Commission on the Financing of Higher Education are completed.

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Full-Time Chemist Is Unnecessary

A chemist is often called upon to examine a corpse for possible poisoning when a pathologist can find no other cause for death, Dr. E. G. Young told the Science Society Tuesday.

Dr. Young, past head of biochemistry at Dalhousie, said the police department had no need for a full time chemist, and the Professor of Biochemistry was often called.

He said it was useful to know the relative potency of poisons. "A poison doesn't need to be harmful. Anything which changes the normal pattern of a plant or animal can be called a poison," the doctor explained.

Dr. Young showed how the difference of several milligrams can change iodine from food, to "drug, to poison. The difference is purely quantitative," he said, "there aren't too many poisons that are foods, but most drugs, if stepped up in quantity, are poison."

Dr. Young went on to classify the various poisons under headings of Antiseptics, Corrosives, Volatiles, non-volatiles, and Biologicals. He showed how the classifications are used in examining a corpse and how the chemist makes tests for one classification and works through the various classifications until he gets a positive reaction. The doctor then showed slides "to look at the various concentrations of acids that are looked upon as being toxic."

Dr. Young concluded by referring to a few cases he had experienced. He advised the criminal not to pick poisons which are very stable. For example he said it was "possible to detect arsenic after nine years in a cadaver below the ground." He spoke of a wife who tried to kill her husband with peanut butter and phosphorus. He cited the case of a chronic alcoholic who drank a commercial brand of alcohol and was thought to have been poisoned with it. As it turned out the alcohol had oxidized in his lungs and had produced a substance which had anesthetized him, he explained.

Dr. Young was educated at McGill and Oxford Universities. In 1920 he founded the Department of Biochemistry at the University of Western Ontario and headed a similar department at Dalhousie from 1924-1950. From 1959-1960 he was President of the National Chemical Institute of Canada and is now serving in an advisory capacity.



Portrait of my mother as a young girl

It's always strange to think of your mother as having been your age once—and having had your very problems.

It wasn't until I found a picture of her in an old trunk that I really realized she might have been the sister I'd never had.

So I decided to talk out some things with her that I'd been reserved about before.

It was wonderful!

One of the things I wanted to ask her about was Tampax internal sanitary protection. I showed her a Tampax ad that promised all sorts of nice things, like feeling cool, clean, fresh, and asked her to explain the product to me.

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Big little Tory Challenges Chief

OTTAWA (CUP) — John Diefenbaker is out of step with the aspirations of younger Canadians and the Conservative Party would be better served by another leader, the president of the Progressive Conservative Student Federation (PCSF) said last week.

Dismissing an earlier report that he was demanding Mr. Diefenbaker's resignation or threatening to resign himself, 25-year-old Joe Clark said he had a high regard for Mr. Diefenbaker's personal qualities but the Opposition Leader's policies have caused the student federation concern.

Mr. Clark sent a confidential letter to Mr. Diefenbaker Feb. 9 outlining the federation's views on a number of policy issues. He refused to say whether he had

suggested resignation in the letter, but admitted he believed that "the party would be better served by another leader."

Mr. Clark said there was a widespread feeling among young Canadians that the party's leaders are out of step with the times. The PCSF president said he had discouraged the public airing of disagreements within the party, and accepted the Jan. 6 decision of the party's national executive that this was not the time for a leadership convention.

He added, however, that after conferring with the PCSF national officers he was informing the leaders of the 46 clubs in the federation that it was their right and duty to speak out when the policy statement seem to clash with the aspirations of younger Canadians.

Mr. Clark said that the government was wrong in raising the "divisive issue of the flag" but expressed concern that the Conservative Party under Mr. Diefenbaker had become so strongly associated with opposition to the maple leaf design.

He also said he disagreed with Mr. Diefenbaker's attitude towards Quebec. Young Canadians accept the duality of the country and see nothing to fear and much to welcome in the current development of Quebec, he said.

Mr. Clark, a graduate student in political science at the University of Alberta, said he does not favor an early election. Both major parties should repair their houses before going to the people, he said, to insure that the two-party system will prevail.

Parliament Needs More Professors

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The Canadian Parliament would be more healthy if it had more University professors and fewer lawyers, a Winnipeg MP told the Law School Thursday.

New Democrat David Orlicco said the Canadian parties have failed to activate people in the Universities and active professions. He said the NDP ideal is to combine those in Labour and those from Universities.

Orlicco said, "It appears to me that both major parties are in real difficulties as the year '65 begins. I am satisfied a large number of people thought that Parliament was demeaning itself by that debate which went on for months."

"I think that hurt the Conservative Party a great deal," he said.

"We should get on with the more important issues of Canada. Issues of corruption, not only for the Liberal Party. There are so many things that are reasonably inexcusable," Orlicco said.

He complained that "Mr. Pearson for reasons I find it hard to understand, has been at the least slow to act. I think

this is a disaster for Democratic system of government."

"We will have to find 1 1/2 million jobs in Canada in the next 10 years. The federal government, in co-operation with the provincial governments, must be much more active to achieve full employment as in Sweden, France and Germany. It is the responsibility of the government."

Mr. Orlicco stressed the need for greater expenditures on Universities. "Universities across Canada are busting at the seams right now," he said. "All the provincial governments are really feeling the pain. Without the aid of the federal government, I don't know how we are going to meet our needs."

Orlicco warned that without trained people, "this country will fall even further back than it has in the last few years".

He called the "brain drain" a disgrace.

A law student asked Mr. Orlicco for his position on hate literature, whether he thought the Criminal Code should be amended to include it.

The MP replied, "I am against censorship. I have been a long time defender of civil liberties, and I believe in as much freedom as possible, freedom of speech."

"I don't think that freedom is the same as license, not for anyone to say what he wants".

Orlicco suggested that nothing be distributed in Canada without the authorization of an official agent. "One of the proposals of the Canadian Labour Congress is to follow the example of election laws, which do not allow material to be published or distributed without identification of those using the material

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