

Freedman Lectures Torywise

The Hon. Mr. Justice Samuel Freedman, Q.C., of the Manitoba Court of Appeal and Chancellor of the University of Manitoba will be guest speaker at this year's Henry Marshall Tory Lectures.

Justice Freedman will lecture on "Law and Liberty" on Tuesday and Wednesday, October 30 and 31 at 8:30 p.m. in the Jubilee Auditorium.

These lectures are held annually in memory of Henry Marshall Tory, the first president of the University of Alberta. Speakers such as James M. Minifie, Sidney Smith and Sir Herbert G. Adams have spoken at the lectures in past years.

Born in Russia in 1908, Justice Freedman came to Canada in 1911 and has spent most of his life in Manitoba. He graduated from the Manitoba Law School in 1933, later returning there as a lecturer.

An ardent community worker, Justice Freedman has been president of organizations such as the Winnipeg Lodge, B'nai B'rith and the Medico-Legal Society of Manitoba. He has been chairman of the Rhodes scholarship committee for Manitoba since 1956 and from 1955 to 1958 was co-chairman of the central division of the Canada Council of Christians and Jews.

In 1929, Justice Freedman received an honorary B.A. degree from the University of Manitoba and two years ago was recognized by Assumption University of Windsor with an honorary LL.D.

The Marshall Tory lectures are presented by the Friends of the University. The public is invited to attend and will be admitted free of charge.

Student Housing Seminar Topic

"Student Housing" will be the topic of this year's first leadership seminar, Sunday at the Corona Hotel. Some 120 heads of student organizations have been invited to attend. Two seminars are sponsored annually by the Students' Union.

Head of the administration on student housing, Dr. W. E. Kolbach will address the morning session. He will discuss results of the survey carried out by the housing committee on conditions at the University of Alberta. A discussion period will follow.

The afternoon session will be headed by three guest speakers. Major W. C. Hooper, advisor to men students, will deal with housing problems faced by foreign students. Dean Sparling will speak on problems faced by women students seeking campus housing.

Iain Macdonald, chairman of the SUB expansion committee, will describe conditions and arrangements he saw on the American campuses during his fall tour. Kenneth Gordon Young, commerce 3, will chair the seminar. Head of the leadership seminar committee is Colin A. Fraser, arts 2.



"SPEAKER has no right to speak . . . unstable government . . . NDP abuses privilege . . . government standing on its head . . . just another Liberal party."—J. W. Pickersgill.

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WUS Surveys Welfare

World University Services of Canada recently concluded its National Assembly in Winnipeg. Plans for future activities were made.

A comprehensive survey into social welfare provided for foreign students in Canada is going to be carried out this year. This will involve a complete examination of the WUS procedure in welcoming and orientating new students to Canada. The Assembly called on the Canadian government to provide a special fund to be used in welcoming these new students.

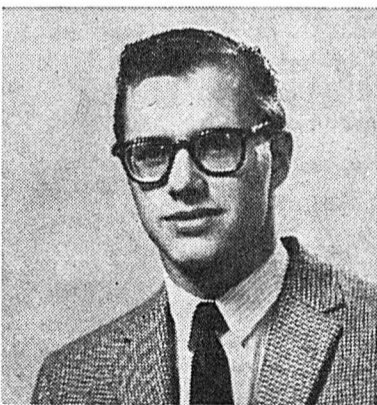
Plans for the next four International Seminars were made. Stress was laid on "robust health" in selection of the delegate to the Pakistan seminar, to be held in 1963. Approval was given to the following sites for future seminars: French-speaking North Africa in 1964, Latin America in 1965, Australia in 1966 and Canada in 1967.

A special preparatory meeting for French language delegates will precede the next National Assembly of WUS. Next year's Assembly is to

be held at Laval University.

The final item on the agenda asked Canadian students to better their generous contributions to foreign student aid this year. Forty cents per capita will be the campus objective this year. This is an increase of ten cents over last year. Last year's International Program of Action, sponsored by WUS, amassed more than \$30,000—an increase of \$5,000 over 1961.

Gold Key Decides On Stefan



Wes Stefan, third year philosophy student, has been appointed director of Varsity Varieties '63, it was announced this week by the Golden Key Society.

The production is titled "A

Friendly Game of Russian Roulette." Script and lyrics were written by Bill Somers, a senior education student.

"I'm enthusiastic as hallelujah about the script," Stefan told The Gateway, Tuesday. "I've had a couple of script sessions with Somers and I'm convinced that we have the makings of an excellent show," he said.

Both Stefan and Somers worked on Varieties '62. Stefan played "the Gasher". Somers wrote and directed the score.

Varieties is produced annually in conjunction with Guest Weekend. It will run for three days in late February in the Jubilee Auditorium.

Students interested in participating in the production should attend a preliminary rehearsal, Wednesday, Oct. 31 at 7:30 p.m. in the Students' Union Building.

Jack Hits John

by Gordon Boulter

Liberal J. W. Pickersgill accused the Diefenbaker government of hypocrisy and of using authoritarian methods in parliament, during a discussion Monday in the political economy department.

Long-time member of parliament and author of a MacKenzie King autobiography, Mr. Pickersgill was substituting for Walter Gordon. Mr. Gordon had been detained in Ottawa debating the "economic residues of the cast-off clothing of the previous finance minister."

ENJOYING PROSPERITY

Mr. Diefenbaker was chided for not introducing part two of his June 24 austerity program. Mr. Pickersgill said, "We were to get a long term program to deal with the economic crises. Instead, Diefenbaker now says we are enjoying the greatest peace-time prosperity in the history of Canada."

In commenting on the new Speaker's attempt to control discussion in the Commons, Mr. Pickersgill stated, "The Speaker in the British Parliament is called the Speaker because he is the only one who has no right to speak. I would commend this view to Mr. Speaker Lambert in private conversation. It is imprudent to make changes in the tradition of long discussion in such an unstable government."

Mr. Pickersgill was, however, against abolishing the rule of closure. "I think there should be a rule of closure in every legislature. A minority should not be able to prolong debate endlessly."

When asked about the divorce issue in Parliament, Mr. Pickersgill accused two NDP members of "shocking abuses of privilege." Quebec and Newfoundland divorce cases

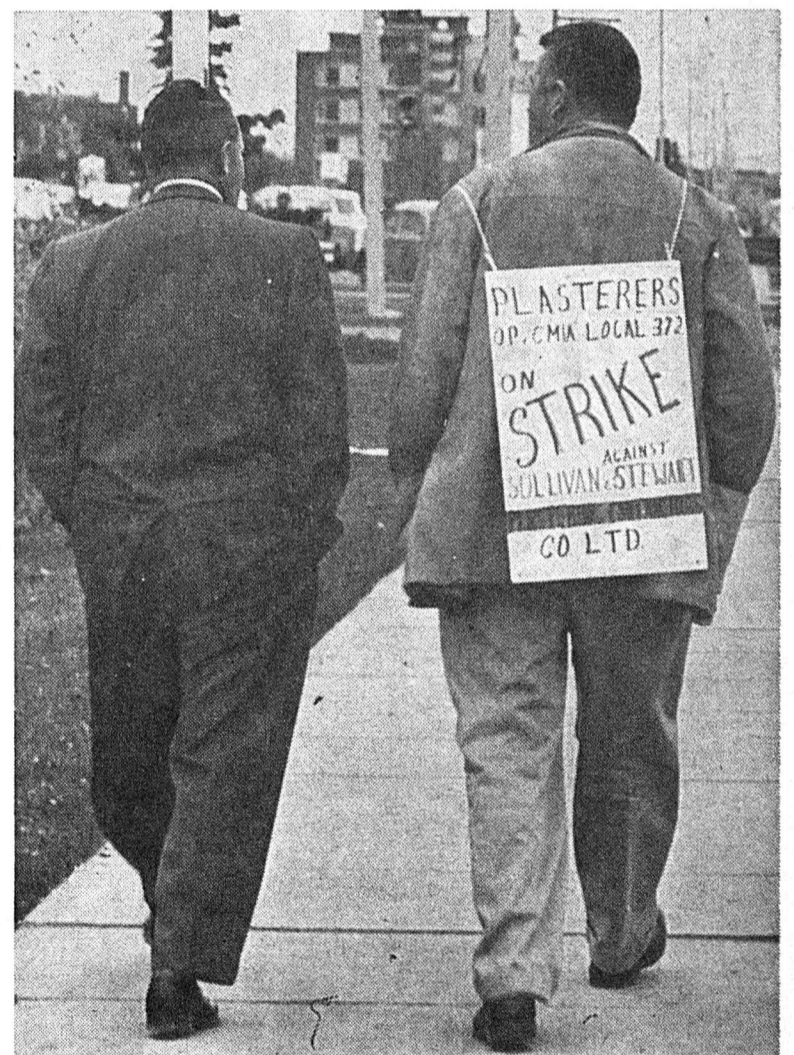
are tried better in the Senate than they would be in a court of laws. It also gives the Senate something to do. Why should we pay judges high salaries for doing this? He felt the Senate's recommendations on divorce should be accepted as a matter of course by the Commons.

GOVERNMENT PLEASING

To queries about the relationship between the government and Social Credit in Parliament, he replied, "The government is standing on its head to please somebody." He saw a high degree of inconsistency between Mr. Thompson's statements out of Parliament and his actions in the House.

Mr. Pickersgill saw little hope for the survival of the New Democratic Party. "Since they repudiated socialism they are just another Liberal party." He quoted New Democrat MP Douglas Fisher in Hansard; "What we need in this country is more genuine liberalism."

Although opposed to compulsory medical care, Mr. Pickersgill is in favor of medical care which is available to everybody. He said he differed with the Saskatchewan Liberal party and Ross Thatcher on the medicare issue.



PICKETING PLASTERERS wear out the sidewalk in front of the new Ed Building. Progress is not expected to be hindered.

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