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**DATELINE**

**Communists At Berkeley?**

CALIFORNIA—The national commander of the American Legion has said that the recent student demonstrations on the University of California's Berkeley campus indicate a need for a ban on Communists speaking at educational institutions.

Police arrested 801 demonstrators on Dec. 2, following a sit-in in the university's administration building as a climax to months of student protests against the school's regulations governing political activity on campus.

The student demonstrations are closely tied to a drive by the American Communist Party to speak before high school, college, and university groups, he said.

The Communists consider their effort worthwhile if they convert but a single student to their cause," he said.

**Carleton Liberal With Liquor**

OTTAWA—Carleton University's liberalized liquor laws were described by the University Director of Student Affairs as a "very successful experiment."

Director Mrs. W. H. Cox emphasized that the regulations, which allow residence students over 21 to drink alcoholic beverages in their rooms, are part of the general philosophy of Carleton.

"If you don't give people the responsibility then they will never know how to handle it," she said, "it's part of the learning process."

Mrs. Cox was critical of the stand of other Canadian universities concerning students and liquor, terming their attitudes "hypocritical."

"I think that most universities have been afraid to allow it," she said.

Although she admits that there are underage persons drinking in Carleton's residences, Mrs. Cox claims that the proportion is small.

**But McMaster Bans Booze**

HAMILTON—Dr. H. G. Thode, president of McMaster University, has closed the matter of liquor on campus.

In a letter, Dec. 14 to MSU president, Lary Beare, Dr. Thode said, "Under the Ontario Liquor Control Act, it is illegal to possess or consume alcoholic beverages in any public place. This, of course, applies generally to the University buildings and grounds of the University."

A university spokesman said since all buildings on campus were open to university students, they were considered to be public places.

**Peace in Colorado**

BOULDER, Colo.—The University of Colorado will offer a course in peace and techniques of achieving it during the coming semester.

The course, entitled Problems and Prospects for Peace, will explore the sources of human conflict from economic, historical, philosophic, political, psychological, sociological, and technological points of view, and will examine some of the problems which must be solved if further world wars are to be prevented.

The course, for which two hours of academic credit are being given, will meet once a week and will be divided into two sections, one hour of lecture and one hour of discussion.

The latter part of it will consider what might be the nature of a warless world, the opportunities which would be opened by freedom from the burdens of providing for military defense, and the problems of assuring maximum individual freedom.

**Love and Guppies at U of T**

TORONTO—A U of T student film-maker's first effort will get national television airing this week.

David Sexter's eight-minute movie "Love With the Proper Guppy" made on a total budget of \$31.88 (including hamburgers for the cast) will be shown on the CBC program The Observer.

The film, which is an avant garde nautical interpretation of the Carmen myth, was made last summer in a day and a half.

Director David Sexter will appear on the program to discuss the movie.

He is currently engaged in filming his next movie "Winter Kept Us Warm."

Sexter states that about one quarter of the film is finished and that it will eventually be over 10 minutes long.

**Prof Interrogated at Customs**

REGINA—A visiting professor has charged that he was stopped and questioned by immigration authorities in Toronto as he entered Canada.

Robert Engler, professor of politics at two New York universities, was going to Regina to address the national convention of the Combined Universities Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament.

When he told immigration officials where he was going he was shown into a small room and interrogated by another member of the department, Engler charged.

This official asked him what his political affiliations were, and asked to see a copy of the speech he intended to deliver, Engler said.

The professor asked the immigration authorities why he was being questioned. He said he was told: "We are the government. We ask the questions here. We don't tell you how to teach."

Engler was allowed to speak at the CUCND convention as planned.

**Montreal Historian Brunet Says Quebec Challenging Old Thinking**

By Janet Orzech

"Quebec's challenge will help Canada," says Dr. Michel Brunet, head of the history department of the University of Montreal.

Dr. Brunet, speaking in SUB on Tuesday as one of the guests here for French Canada Week, believes Quebec's challenge will make Canada look closer at her problems.

"Formerly, the Ottawa government was the only one which could define Canada's problem . . . but Ottawa couldn't understand the problem," said the Montreal history professor.

**ONTARIO VIEW**

"The men in the Federal government were from Queen's University," said Dr. Brunet, "and they looked at Canada through Queen's and Ontario eyes."

"Canada's problems should not be defined by Ontario, Quebec, or western men, but by all these men."

Dr. Brunet said Canada's administrators, MacKenzie King in particular, thought her problems would be settled in time, "just as Mr. Pearson goes away for a weekend and believes everything will be settled."

Canada's problem today is using solutions and methods which were applicable during the 1930s and the Rowell-Sirois regime, said Dr. Brunet.

"The thinking conceived under the economic crisis of the 30s was a result of the impact of the 30s. But after 1940, we tried to apply the



—Wilson Photo

**DR. MICHEL BRUNET**  
... Quebec a challenge

same solutions . . . there is a lack of fresh, new political thinking."

Dr. Brunet said Maurice Duplessis alone provided a challenge to the Rowell-Sirois thinking, "but

the challenge was badly presented."

"But today, Quebec presents a challenge to old thinking," said Dr. Brunet.

"Quebec compels all the rest of the country to look."

"I do believe that Quebec is necessary to Canada because it will make people realize there are others in the country than Queens and Ontario-minded people."

**French Cuisine Enjoyed By Residents**

"Voulez-vous passer les . . . les . . ." Residents of Lister Hall experienced the pleasures of French Canadian cuisine Monday evening.

Bewildered students filed into the main dining hall trying to decipher those strange writings on the wall.

The "strange writings" read something like this:

MENU (say it with a French accent)

- Soupe aux pois
- Tourtières
- Ragoût de boulettes
- Betteraves marinées
- Pommes de terre frites
- Tarte aux sirop d'érable

No matter what the choice general agreement was that you couldn't have gone wrong. Residents seemed to agree Food Services Director Joel Stoneham's tribute to French-Canada Week was a success.

Checked place mats and those candled wine bottles, so diligently gathered, contributed to the French atmosphere.

**Turtle Races In Main Gym Friday Night**

Turtles will dominate the scene Friday night in the Main Gym as the first turtle derby held in Canada takes place.

Ten genuine Maryland racing turtles have been specially imported for Friday.

All proceeds from the Phi Delta-sponsored event will go to the Winifred M. Stewart School for Retarded Children.

Trainers and jockeys from the four women's fraternities, Pembina Hall, Lister Hall girls, RAH nurses, and the phys ed girls will race the turtles.

A trophy will be presented to the sponsors of the winning turtle.

The purchase of a ticket will be honored at the hockey game between U of S and U of A at 7:30 p.m., the Take Fours at 9 p.m., three turtle races at 10 p.m. and a dance by the Classics.

"Winifred Stewart will be present to receive the proceeds for her school," says Jim Reaman, director of Turtle Derby.

**Students Urged To Report Thefts, Losses, Molestings**

University Provost A. A. Ryan has warned students to report thefts, losses, and molestings to the campus patrol.

"Students and members are not fully aware of the services being offered by the campus patrol," said Prof. Ryan.

**Notice**

Are you interested in professors conducting their lectures with the aid of their students' views?

Opinions, offered anonymously, will cover course content, class participation, and handling of classes.

Questionnaires are to be made up by the Academic Relations Committee of students' union, and given to professors who will distribute them to classes.

The questionnaires will be handed back to professors and processed.

Persons are needed to aid the project. Interested parties can submit written applications to the undersigned by Tuesday.

Douglas Smee  
Chairman  
Personnel Board

The provost emphasized the importance of reporting incidents at once.

"Even a matter of minutes can mean the difference between apprehending offenders and permitting the offence to go unsolved," he said.

The provost said complainants should also request the patrol call in city or provincial police, when appropriate.

**REPORT AT ONCE**

Losses and thefts should be reported at once to the campus patrol office in the greenhouse building behind Athabasca Hall.

Students who have lost articles should check periodically the large accumulation of lost articles in the patrol office.

"The purpose of the patrol is to protect not only the university in general, but the persons and property of all students, staff and faculty on the campus," Prof. Ryan told The Gateway.