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A Student Organization

"All who have meditated on the art of governing mankind have been convinced that the fate of empires depends upon the education of youth." - Aristotle

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## Welcome ... Dr. Walter H. Johns

Each year the students at the University of Alberta, Edmonton, plan and organize a reception for students from the high schools of Northern Alberta in order to provide an opportunity for them to see the physical aspects of their campus and also see something of the activities that normally go on in classrooms and laboratories.

The campus is becoming increasingly crowded and if you are to find your way about without becoming hopelessly lost you will need a copy of our campus map to identify the main buildings and how to reach them.

If you require further assistance there will be guides stationed at the registration desk and elsewhere to help you and we do hope you manage to see those buildings in which you are particularly interested.

Those of you from outside the City of Edmonton will be perhaps most interested in the residences and we hope you will have an opportunity of seeing a typical residence room and the facilities available in Lister Hall.

The teaching buildings too will contain many activities and displays of interest and we hope you will manage to include at least four or five of these in your itinerary.

It is important for all high school students today to realize the importance of a university education in order to fit them better to meet the needs of our modern complex society and to enjoy a rich and full



**DR. WALTER H. JOHNS**  
... university president

life of service to mankind.

The facilities provided by our Government and the people of Alberta for university students are among the best in Canada and we hope you will decide during your visit to our campus that you will wish to take advantage of the opportunities offered here and become a part of our University community.

Walter H. Johns  
President

## Richard Price

May I take this opportunity on behalf of the students at the University of Alberta, to extend a warm welcome to both citizens and students visiting our campus this Varsity Guest Weekend.

Since its inception some ten years ago, Varsity Guest Weekend has served to bridge the gap of understanding between the univer-

the quality of the faculty and students.

We hope that those of you who have a desire for learning will join us in the search for "Whatever things are True."

Perhaps I can address a few words specifically to the high school students.

Recently an article in MacLeans magazine titled "Student Crack-ups" pointed to the difficult transition from high school to university as one of the causes of psychological problems of students.

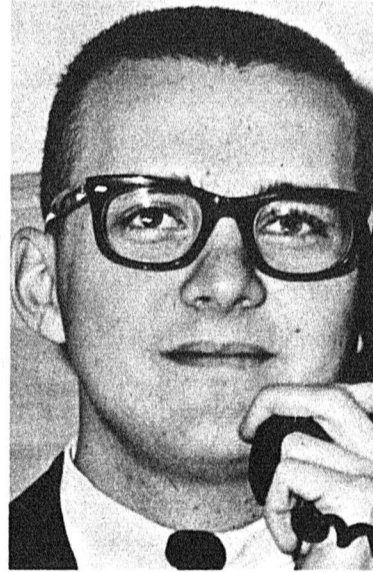
In trying to overcome this problem, the students' union has endeavoured to find ways of making this transition easier. This has meant a more balanced Frosh Week with both academic and social aspects along with an expanded program for Varsity Guest Weekend.

In the year ahead, we will also begin an "education corps" of university and technical students who will go to the high schools of the province to answer questions and attempt to convince students of the values of continuing their education.

Likely you will obtain the best evaluation of our university by talking to members of the faculty or the student body—for in a real sense, they are the university.

For the most part, the University of Alberta is an exciting place with a variety of activities going on.

We are grateful to the citizens of the province who have invested in the university and would hope that while you visit it, you will feel more part of it.



**RICHARD PRICE**  
... students' union president

sity and the community. It also enables high school students to catch a glimpse of university life.

This year, the scope of Varsity Guest Weekend has been somewhat expanded to include academic, cultural and social aspects of campus life.

We are quite concerned to present a true picture of university life, as often in the past there has been a somewhat superficial presentation of our university.

For the university is much more than laboratory displays and teaching facilities—it is a community of scholars who gather together, exchanging ideas and searching for truth.

Thus a prime factor in determining the stature of a university is

Photo on page seven features the six queers running for the Miss U of A title. They are, (back row, left to right), Karen Bent, Miss Residence; Darlene Fleming, Miss Engineer; Annette Aumonier, Miss Education; (middle row, left to right), Judy Locher, Miss Commerce; Gay Ward, Miss Freshette; and Marilyn Moon (front), Miss Interfraternity Council. Photo by Neil Driscoll.