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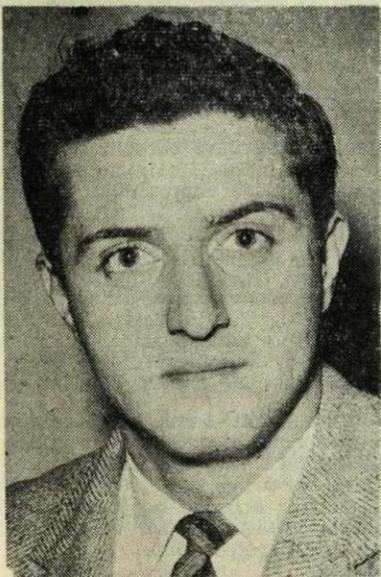
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"The Boy Friend" Scuttles "Pinafore"



BRIAN FLEMMING

Flemming WUSCed To National Council

A first year Law student, Brian Flemming was elected to the National Committee of World University Service of Canada at the organization's Twenty-second National Assembly in Montreal last week.

A graduate in science from Saint Mary's University, Mr. Flemming was that university's delegate to the International Seminar in Yugoslavia in the summer of 1958. While at Saint Mary's, he was chairman of WUSC and NFCUS.

Five other students from Canadian universities were chosen to serve on the National Committee and Mr. Flemming will be the Atlantic region's representative on the national body. He is also the Chairman of the World Affairs Committee at Dal which was recently made a sub-committee of WUSC.

Attending the conference held this year at McGill were Michael Steeves, chairman of WUSC and Professor D. J. Heasman, faculty advisor.

Particular mention might be made of the coming summer seminar. This year's seminar is scheduled for Israel, next year's for Mexico, with Australia and Malaya being considered for the future.

Students to attend these seminars are chosen for the effectiveness of which their past academic record has shown them capable. Those who are prepared to acquaint themselves with Israel and the problems faced by her as a nation are invited to apply for participation. An announcement to this effect will appear in a subsequent edition of the Gazette.

Sorority Color Bar Stirs U. of T.

TORONTO (CUP) — Fraternities on the campus of the University of Toronto are running scared this week following charges by a negro student that she was discriminated against when she tried to join a sorority.

In a tense, crowded and vocal meeting, the Students Administrative Council of the U. of T. on October 15 "deplored" discrimination in fraternities and sororities, and prepared the way or practical action against discriminating student organizations.

Meanwhile, Kappa Gamma's front lawn was branded with a burning cross Wednesday morning. The cross, accompanied by a sign reading "Klu Klux Klan", was set on fire at about 2 a.m. by unidentified students.

Council wrangled for over an hour over wording of its motions, sweated through loud booing and hissing of its actions from spectators, voted down an attempt to postpone consideration of the question, and then registered a unanimous vote of approval of the following motion:

"Resolved, that the S.A.C. deplores the action of any fraternities and sororities composed of undergraduate students of the university which practice discrimination solely on the grounds of race colour or belief".

The Panhellenic Association, representing the sororities at the University of Toronto, will soon be called on the carpet by the University Administration. University President, Dr. C. T. Bissell said that "frank discussions would be held with the association on the question of discrimination in the sororities. This was the latest development in the controversy launched by the snubbing of pretty, co-ed Barbara (Babbi) Arrington.

Mayor Phillips of Toronto appealed to U. of T. fraternities and sororities to get rid of both "open and hidden" discrimination factors in their composition and constitutions. He has invited Babbi to his City Hall office to show his personal regret".

A member of the Students' Council, in supporting the motion which was passed by the S.A.C., said the question involved "moral principles" and if action was not taken on violation of moral principles, "There would soon be no morality left at all in society".

D. G. D. S. ANNOUNCES NEW PRESIDENT, NEW MUSICAL, NEW PLAY

By MARILYN WITHROW

The long wait is over! DGDS is on the MOVE at last! Carol Clarke was elected president in a show of hands election on Tuesday, with a slight majority over Ken Clark.

Since Don Aitken resigned, there has been some confusion over choice of a musical, getting a director for the play, and especially, finding a president. Carol Clarke and Ken Clark were nominated and both have been working hard for DGDS on their own. Without this work, DGDS would have been a shambles, and they are both to be congratulated for so organizing things that plans can now go ahead with no more waste of time.

THE BOYFRIEND TAKES OVER
DGDS is now in high gear! "Pinafore" has been scuttled, and "The Boy Friend," a lively colorful musical-comedy spoofing the twenties, has been chosen instead. It has run on and off Broadway since 1954 and was done by Mount A. last year. Carol Clarke said that "doing

Older Women Satisfy Meds

While Studley Campus was slowly getting itself acclimated to the beginning of the scholastic year 1959-60, down at Forrest campus, skeletons were rattling at closet doors, and midnight oil was burning, as most of the Medical students went through the agonies of preparing for Midterms.

However, the acknowledged rift between Forrest and Studley—due to timing and other discrepancies in schedule and temperament — that seemed too wide to span in other years finally seems to be getting narrower. Definite efforts were made to bridge the gap, as the medical fraternities, co-operating with Delta Gamma in the attempt to obtain friendly relations between the two camps—hosted a Friday night gathering for Studley girls. Both Phi Chi and Phi Rho participated in this worthy endeavour, and the older girls—to wit, no Freshettes—carried the banner for Studley.

It is reported from reliable sources that the event was quite a success—both in its initial purpose, and also improving that Delta Gamma must be good for something.

Broadway musicals will keep Dal in better competition with other universities, such as Acadia and St. FX. "The Boy Friend" is "very gay, a nice break from studies," and will probably make more people happier than "Pinafore" would have.

Directing it is Doreen Ibsen, well known in Theatre Arts circles, who also works in CHNS productions. The musical director is George Naylor, who teaches music at Dalhousie, and who was assistant musical director of *Paint Your Wagon*. Carol is as well "very glad that we've got two outside directors. Outside directors usually get more co-operation than student directors." Carol Ann (Egan) Coulson, who did the choreography for Dal musical revues several years ago, is choreographing *Boyfriend*. Bert Levy, who has worked as a carpenter and in former Dal productions, is Stage Manager.

The budget is to go before the Students' Council next week, and "Boyfriend" will be presented the first week in March.

GEORGE AND MARGARET
DGDS play, scheduled for the first week of December will be *George and Margaret*, a light hearted and witty British comedy. According to Carol Clarke, "it is easy to do from the point of view of the little time we have, that is, there is a small cast and the play can be type-cast if necessary; also, there is only one set." Leslie Pigot, who is very well known in local theatre, is directing it.

CONNOLLY SHIELD
The Connolly Shield competition will be held Nov. 9, 10, 11, 12 at 7:30 in Room 21. The adjudicator will be Dr. Sprot of the English department. All groups planning to enter a play should contact Charlotte Gibbon, 2-4678, or Sandy Ross, 3-9975, as soon as possible.

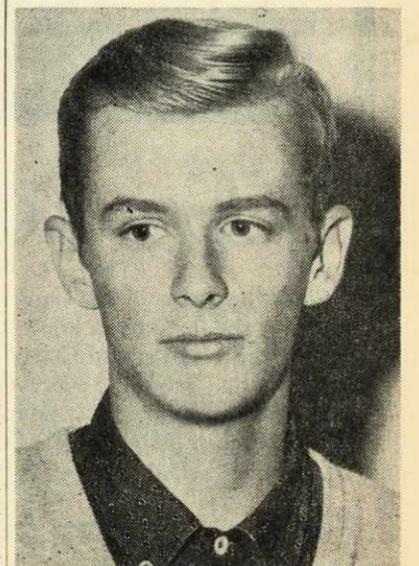
CHORAL SOCIETY
The Choral Society, which was begun with some success last year but lost its members after Christmas to the musical, will hold its first meeting this year Oct. 28, 7:30 in the Arts and Administration building. The director is George Naylor. There are plans to enter the Halifax Musical Festival if the chorus becomes proficient enough. There are plans also for joining the King's Choral Society to put on a Night at the gym after Christmas.

The new president said there are hopes for a performance of the *Scotian Strings*—a chamber music group—next term; and also a performance of the *Royal Artillery Band* doing an evening of light classical and pops.

A year of music and gaiety is beginning! Here's to more success and triumphs than ever before!



CAROL CLARKE



KEN CLARK