

Active, Reserve Commissions Available

Ottawa—More than 6,000 commissions in both active and Reserve Forces of the Canadian Army will be available to members of the Canadian Army Training Corps during the next four years, Hon. Brooke Claxton, Minister of National Defence, announced today.

The Canadian Officers Training Corps, now embarking on its 1947-48 fall and winter training programme, is, at present, the chief supply source of officer material for the postwar army. Enlistment in the corps is open to all students of Canadian universities having authorized COTC contingents.

The COTC training programme is of three years duration, at the conclusion of which the student becomes eligible for a commission in the Canadian Army in either the Active or Reserve Force. Training is divided into theoretical and practical phases, the theoretical being carried out during the student's first, second and third years at University, and the practical during the summer vacation periods by a series of attachments to the Canadian Army Active Force. All students accepted in the Corps are enrolled as officer cadets with the status of second lieutenants and are paid as such for each day of duty with the exception of that carried out during the first theoretical phase. During their attachments to military establishments during the practical phase of their training, they receive \$135.00 per month, lodging, board and medical care.

During the summer of 1947, nearly 1,500 officer cadets were attached to Active Force schools of instruction across the Dominion, for periods up to four months.

COMMITTEE BOSS TACKLED PENALTY: 35 CENTS

Naval Training Starts Soon

Lieut. McPhee from HMCS Brunswick, Saint John, spoke again this week to the University Naval Training Division and other interested students.

Speaking on future U. N. T. D. plans he proposed an 80 hour year on a two hours per week basis with a day's pay for every four hours work. The summer service would also make a student certain of employment during the next few summers.

At 4.30, Wednesday, October 22, a bus will leave the Electrical Engineering Building for H. M. C. S. Brunswick with those who wish to join the division. At Saint John they will be examined and outfitted with the necessary equipment. Any students who are interested and who have not attended the meetings are asked to see Larry Moffard, Building 30, Apartment two, at Alexander College.

SWIMMING INSTRUCTION

Swimming instruction for beginners and more advanced students begins this week in the Residence pool. The times are: Beginners, 7 to 8.30, Monday and Thursday; Intermediates, 8.30 to 9.30 on the same days. Free swim periods are: Men 4.30 to 5.30, Monday and Friday, Women, 4.30 to 5.30, Tuesday and Thursday. Mixed swimming will be 4.30 to 5.30 on Wednesday.

A well known Campus personality was literally tackled at the football game last Saturday. She was Lenore Bartlett, esteemed wife of Brock Bartlett, both of whom are Juniors up the hill. It seems she was one of many who appeared last Saturday having neglected to bring their Students' Passes. Such an item is absolutely essential under our vastly improved SRC gate control system and as was discovered by the "negligent ones," NO excuses were accepted. After a heated discussion during which our vigilant Treasurer John Bcynton held his ground, Mr. Bartlett weakened and paid the penalty (\$35) for his wife's negligence.

It may be relative to the moral of this story to mention that both Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett were members of the S. R. C. committee that last spring drew up the "New regulations on Student Passes" that are now being used so effectively.

U. of M. Gives Daily Newscast

Winnipeg—Radio, the newest function on the University of Manitoba campus has been organized during the summer months and is now in full operation.

The main feature of the new committee is a daily news cast over CKRC at 7.30 A. M. Announcers will be undergrads and news for the five-minute broadcast will be supplied by the Manitoban.

The radio committee is affiliated with western universities and American colleges and offers an opportunity for all interested to learn the techniques of radio-writing, directing and announcing.

The committee also plans to stage half-hour shows over Winnipeg stations featuring forums, drama, musical shows and individual artists.

They are affiliated with the Western University Radio Federation and plans include a program schedule with the three other western universities in the federation. Each university would produce one presentation every month to be relayed to other members.

Affiliation with the Intercollegiate Broadcasting System, a network of 52 American colleges, is also planned. Manitoba would not have a vote as it does not operate its own station, but it would be eligible for full participation in IBS functions.

Alexander College Common Room at 2.30. The band will go to Mount Allison on the 'Football Special', guests of the S. R. C.

VETERAN'S CLUB KICKS OFF

The Veterans Club set U. N. B.'s social ball rolling with a smoker held at Woodbridge's Camps last Saturday. The party was a success with 175 members attending.

The boys gathered around the fireplace in the cosy atmosphere of the Queen of Forest Lodge and harmonized in the old songs that were so much part of past Military Life.

Mr. Don Crouse, chairman of the House Committee of Fredericton Legion, gave a very interesting and informative talk.

Bus transportation was supplied and in no small measure added to the success of the evening. (As a point of interest 43 out of 48 bottles of coke were still intact at the close of the evening).

Campus Opinion

The question this week was as follows: "Are you willing to pay \$4.50 train fare to go to Sackville for the Mount A. game?"

The result:

Yes	No	No Comment
20	20	10

The reply, as can be noticed, was split. Some thought that the fare was too much; some just didn't want to go at any price; while others would go as long as the fare was anywhere within reason.

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FANJOY, RICE ATTEND M.I.D.L. CONFERENCE

On Thursday afternoon, President Fanjoy and Manager Doug Rice left for the annual conference of the Maritime Intercollegiate Debating League, which will be held at Sackville, on October 17-18. It is the purpose of the M. I. D. L. to arrange a schedule of debates among Maritime universities, and to call to the attention of the various universities all matters relating to intercollegiate debating in the Maritimes.

On the agenda at the conference this year is the admission of the Saint John Law School as a member of the M. I. D. L. Although this movement was sponsored by Mt. A., U. N. B. is definitely in favor of it, as U. N. B. has previously debated the Law School and found its debating to be of excellent calibre. As for the drawing up of a schedule, it is surmised that U. N. B. will have two away debates and one home debate, probably with Acadia, Mt. A., and Dalhousie.

SPORT BAND UNDER WAY

The U. N. B. Band is progressing well in its organization for the sports year and turned in a creditable performance at last week's game. More bandsmen are wanted however, particularly alto and trombone. Practices are being held Sunday afternoons in the

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