

# UNIVERSITY CHOICES

## ACCEPTED

To The Editor:  
On Feb. 10th Annual buy out Jean Day was held at SUB. I wish to offer my sincere thanks to all those who supported me in making the day an outstanding success.

Jean

## SMELLS

To The Editor:  
If this one horse newspaper had an "Onions and Orchids" column, this letter would be unnecessary. However, at the risk of being relegated to that group of unfortunates with the dubious honor of contributing to this rag, I shall take up my pen and tilt with the windmills of stupidity which appear on this campus.

I should like to say that I feel that the backers of the nomination of Henry Luce as Fink of the week, should really take his place. This poor unfortunate group of chowderheads is showing gross ignorance to the purpose of TIME magazine.

I should like to give my reasons for feeling that the nomination was completely ridiculous. Firstly, TIME's concise style of writing is popular with readers, but murder to writers know a great deal more than (any budding journalists among the signees?). Second, and pardon me if I am wrong, Mr. Luce isn't responsible for writing all the magazine. He has a complete staff of well qualified writers to handle that end of the job. I am sure that these writers know a great deal more than Mr. Luce's anonymous critics. Third, TIME makes the week's news worth reading by wrapping the usual wars, threats of wars, riots, (ad. infinitum) more readable. Finally, in reference to TIME's book and movie reviews, I'm sure most readers will admit they are true as well as humorous.

Despite the attempts of our "finkish" friends, I am sure that all TIME readers will continue to eagerly await each issue. Therefore, people—without-a-sense-of-humor, your efforts were wasted, and TIME will continue to add some small note of cheer until "we shuffle off this mortal coil".

W. Gillespie  
Eng. 1

## THANKS AGAIN

To The Editor:  
We would like to thank our 1,000 male friends in the faculty of engineering for the wonderful time we had during Queen Week. The festivities were well planned from beginning to end.

Donna Annis, Susan Woodley,  
Monika Puloy, Trudy Singer,  
and Carmen Spencer

## CRASH!

To The Editor:  
When, in the name of Manning, Our Creator, is our fair campus going to witness the long-awaited destruction of that so-called West Lab? Such a stuffy, decrepit, ramsackle monstrosity belongs in an East Brooklyn red-light district; not on a modern University campus! Me-thinks the powers that be must sit grimly in their burrows and wager with each other what year the entire debris will come crashing down upon the occupants' craniums! Hopesles bunch, I'm thinking.

T.K.E.  
Commerce

## ETHICS

To The Editor:  
Consider the Christian Ethic of "Do unto your neighbor . . ." Hutterites are the only class of people who benefit greatly from but contribute nothing to our knowledge in pure and applied science.

Mass production of offspring is neither a God-given right nor a matter of implied social contract. Procreation is a privilege. When the world seethes with human bodies and Hutterites are getting into each others' beards, perhaps one of the brighter of them will suggest, "We may be partly to blame". Then they might employ the democratic approach to problem solving and vote to see who gets the last gasp of air.

But Mr. Editor, I commend you for championing the cause of a minority and for considering problems and principles bearing on them, rather than personalities.

This business about the finks stinks.

Paul Jensen

## EMOTIONS

To The Editor:  
The members of CUCND are no doubt quite pleased this morning at the success of their panel last night in Civil Defense. Certainly, you convinced members of your own group of your righteousness and no doubt you intended to convince others, but would you like to know what an objective bystander really thought, whether it is true or not?

It would seem to me that the panel was carefully selected to "prove" what you believed, not to clarify the problem; that the audience was to feel what the gentleman on the left felt, not necessarily think what they think; that we must put all our funds and energy into peace programs, like putting all our funds into research to prevent Cancer, there is no sense providing polliative measures; Civil Defense is a useless organization and a waste of money (don't ask the people of Lamont) CUCND is anti-Civil Defense, anti-provincial government, anti-federal government, and anti-American, but they're not sure about Russia!

Attending as a mild supporter of CUCND, expecting to hear a rational discussion of a problem of tremendous consequence, I heard an emotional build up in which one could not find the fire for the smoke. I left sick and disappointed that even this calibre of personnel could not approach the problem calmly, and I left an opponent of CUCND.

M. Assheton-Smith

## HONESTY?

To The Editor:  
I would like to nominate myself

## Cragg Receives New Post

Dr. Laurence H. Cragg, University vice-president, has been elected vice-president of the Chemical Institute of Canada, the Institute announced last week.

He will leave this month to speak on chemical education at the CIC's five western branches. During his year in office, Dr. Cragg will visit most of the Institutes 32 sections, scattered across the nation.

Dr. Cragg became vice-president of U of A in September, 1959. In addition to his administrative duties, he is a professor of chemistry. He has written several books and booklets on chemistry and education, and has

published about 40 scientific papers. He succeeds Dr. Leo Marion, of the National Research Council, Ottawa, who will become president of the CIC.

Before coming to the University of Alberta, Dr. Cragg taught at McMaster, in Hamilton; its affiliated school, Brandon College, in Brandon, Manitoba; and the University of Toronto.

A native Albertan, he went to school in Lethbridge, Calgary and Wingham, Ontario. He attended U of T, receiving his PhD in 1937. The Chemical Institute of Canada sponsors meetings for scientific purposes, publishes a journal, and promotes the chemical industry and chemical research. It was formed in 1945.

## Sunday Service

Rev. Robert Roberts, minister of Braemar Baptist Church in Edmonton's Ottewell district, will be guest preacher at a special student service at 2:30 p.m. in the St. Stephen's College chapel.

A graduate of U of A, Mr. Roberts took his theological training at St. Stephen's College and McMaster University, Hamilton, Ont.

World Student Day of Prayer attempts to emphasize solidarity, Christian responsibility and concern for students the world over.

## Drainage

The blood donation clinic will reopen on February 20 and remain in "operation" until the 22, said councillor Andy Stewart.

University students in a great spurt of giving surpassed the expected 1,300 mark by 180 pints. The Engineering faculty had the highest number of donations—357, and Dentistry had the lowest—9, while Law, trying hard, reached 12 pints.

Faculty	Per Cent
Physio	94
Agriculture	49.5
Meds	47.7
Theology	43.5
Phys Ed	43.5
Engineers	35.5
House Ec	30
Education	21.1
Commerce	20.6
Arts and Science	20.6
Pharmacy	18
Nursing	12.9
Law	10
Dentistry	6.6
Graduate Students	1.1

## Who Us?

## Gateway Prejudiced

Students' Council, earlier in the year, set up a committee to review and investigate student election procedures.

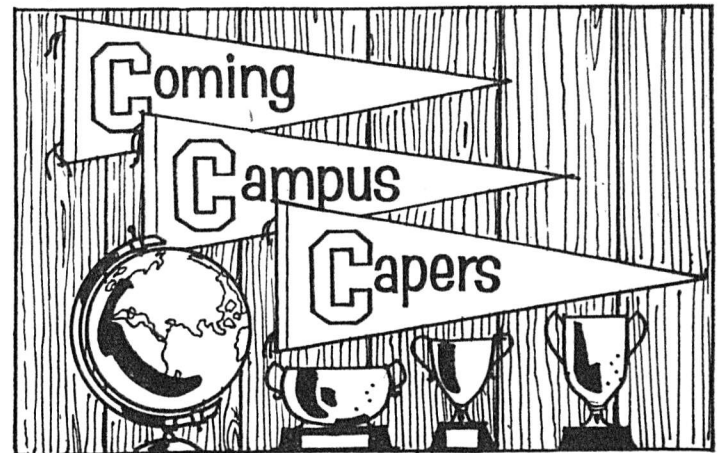
Its main function was to draw up a standard that would insure equal promotion rights to all candidates so that the monetary power of the candidates would not be a great determining factor. Several of the results and recommendations of this investigation committee were as follows:

- All campaign shall cease no later than the 9:00 p.m. of Thursday of election week.
- The Vice-President and Secretary-Treasurer of Wauneita society shall have an allotment of zero dollars for campaign expenses.
- Candidates will not be allowed to provide meat, drink and refreshments to any group of voters assembled for purposes of promoting an election.
- Only candidates running for offices of the Executive Committee of the Students' Council may campaign in classes and labs and each candidate may stay in the lab only for the length allotted him by the instructor of that lab.
- No member of the Executive of the Students' Council or the Returning officer will be allowed to campaign for a person seeking a student office.

as Fink-of-the-Week. I didn't go to hear Stan Kenton; I haven't attended any games between the Golden Bears and the Oil Kings; I am always behind in my work, and most of the time my criticism is not constructive.

D. W. Giffen  
Arts 3

P.S.—At least I gave blood.



## EVENTS

February—

- 17—Symphony Concert
- 18—Residence Dance
- 22-25—Drama Society—Three-Act Plays
- 23—Physiotherapy Formal
- 23-25—Varsity Varieties 1961
- 23-26—Varsity Guest Week-end
- 24—Ballet Club Concert and Tea
- 25—Ivy League Ball (New Gym) sock

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