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WAR MEMORIALS

At this time of Thanksgiving it might not be out of place to recall the glowing reports of the form which our war memorial was to take in 1945. It was generally agreed that more plaques would not do; that something more lasting, substantial and useful was needed. The student forums recommended students' unions, residences and swimming pools.

The matter assumed proportions of such importance that it was placed on the ballot for the Council elections in 1946. The students voted down a swimming pool or a rink, and chose a residence as the War Memorial Dalhousie should build. The result was announced with great eclat, and then the students, feeling that they had done their duty in indicating a preference, forgot all about it, and so the matter rests.

THE EMPLOYMENT SERVICE

The problem of student employment has been a moot point around Dalhousie for some time. The University purported to have an agency which would place graduating students and, in some cases, find summer positions for undergraduates. This, however, was always rather uncertain; if an employer asked the University to find men for him, a notice was put up to that affect. It never amounted to much more.

The Vets' Association had an excellent bureau for a couple of years, and the present Personal Services began as the private enterprise of a couple of law students. These were adequate for veterans, but were not intended to be a general agency through which any student could find a job. The Council supplied such an agency this summer in the Personal Services, now operated by them. Now, a student can get a job of some sort at any time. Indications are that this organization will eventually take over the placing of graduates in positions as well.

This would be an excellent move; what is needed is not a body which will receive and pass on circulars seeking employees, but a body with some initiative, which will look for positions and take some trouble to find what they want.

THE CLOCK PICTURE

Last week the Gazette received a letter from Professor Theakston's office which, among other things, pointed out that the cut which the Gazette ran of the new time clock in the Gym was of a clock of a totally different design to ours.

Checking back to discover the origin of the cut, it was discovered that it was received late last year from the Players Advertising department, as the type of clock which we could expect. With a limited budget for cuts, in any case, the Gazette could probably not afford a new one of the clock.

For the benefit of those who feel that they were deceived by the picture, be it known that anybody can see the actual, real and genuine clock by going into the Gym and asking the caretaker there to point out the article, which he will be only too pleased to do.

Council Will Review Shirreff Outhouse

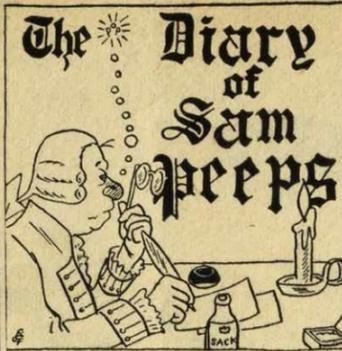
The Gazette learns from a reliable source that the Council will pass upon the matter of a workmen's outhouse, which appeared to be on the steps of Shirreff Hall early one morning.

Details are not yet known, but the cost of carting the thing away is an item for which the Council is responsible, and the members

will be called upon to approve the expenditure at the next meeting. Details will appear in a later Gazette.

Frosh Show Next Week

The Glee Club plans to hold the annual Frosh show next week, at the first Student Council dance. This year the performance will be in the form of a Minstrel Show of sorts.



Wednesday, Oct. 13—Up betimes, much displeased that President Otto has sent me, indirectly, a communication of his displeasure with my diary. I resolved last night that I would in all things try to displease him, but as I have learned this morning that he has the ear of the Governors, I shall try to be pleasant toward him, although it is a hard thing.

Visited the Gym Inn where I did meet Willsdaughter, and we discussed the recent competition with the redmen from the central Canadian colony. He did tell me much of the celebrations following the contest, saying that the indians truly went on their ceremonial warpath. Much said of activities in organizations frequented by Greek tradesmen, with braves Birch, Greenwood, Young and Paul Wilson having a rare time. Most highly exhilarated was Chief William Davies, whose famous last words, it is said, were; "Neber hab such a woderful tibe." He did recline in a sitting position through the night, in a tepee on South Street.

Joining me later was Malcolm Rooster-Gale, speaker of the house of reaction, who did tell me much of the old game of English rugger, played by gentlemen, he says, and I remarked wittily that it was indeed most gentle and sweet game, and pretty, too, as my wife has said, with the men wearing little pants.

Here we spent the day, observing with some distaste, the sickening affection of the athlete Shroud Windward, and a young lady come lately to the college on the hill, who enjoys Christmas mightily.

We drank a great deal of wine, I too much, and Mr. Rooster-Gale, from Hantsport, till he could hardly go. So home and to bed, leaving my companion in a ditch, which reminded him of Hantsport, he said, it being mighty muddy.

Thursday, Oct. 14 — Did hear great alarums this morning of a dastardly plan. Persons at the Lady Hamilton, where I had my morning draught, said that a group of three insurgents had planned out to "do in" a dog, named "Petah", property of a professor on the hill, called, jokingly, Burning Martini. The day had been set, they said, and the little brown beast would be hanged by the neck, with a great rope, on the flagpole mast at the college on the hill. They have sent him a warning that if they do not pass their examinations, they will carry out the plot.

Did chide them for their seeming childishness, at which one did say they are serious.

My wife and I this morning to the Paynter's, and there she sat the last time, and I stood by and did tell them some little things to do, that now her picture will please me very well, and after her, a little black dogg sat in her lap and was drawn, which made us very merry.

My greatest trouble, I do see, is, that I have for this last half year been a very great spendthrift in all manner of respects, that I am though I hope I am worth waht I afeard to cast up my accounts, think. I have newly taken a solemn oath about abstaining from dancing parties, and wine, which I am resolved to keep according to the letter of the oath which I keep by me.

Friday, Oct. 15 — Waking this morning out of my sleep, I did with my elbow hit my wife a great blow over her face and nose, which waked her with pain, at which I was sorry, and so to sleep again.

Did hear today that communications ith Marmalade Hovel, where live the ladies, etc., of the college (Continued on page 3)

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Around the Campus with Egbert



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