

The freshmen were welcomed in October



The WUSC sale was one of the fall highlights



Photographer George Jollymore had pleasant work—sometimes!

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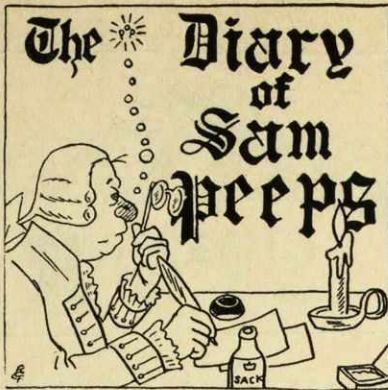


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The Diary of Sam Peeps

Monday, Mar. 7. Thrown rudely from my revolving bed blindly across my chambers the shutters being closed. Tripped on the hem of my night shirt. That cross wench, my partner in matrimonial tempest, shalt have her ears soundly boxed for this. Didst drag myself to my feet through the aid of my greatest benefactor, a half-pint of mulled sack. Limping badly about my chambers having aggravated my gout in my fall I didst hear a titter from the vestibule. Suspecting that creature to be greatly enjoying my misfortune I didst furtively reach under the bed and clutch a white porcelain container by the handle. Being thus well-equipped with a suitable weapon with which to do battle I tip-toed, as best I could, to the portal. Peering through the draperies didst espy that despicable wretch, that model of all womanhood, my wife, laughing heartily, all the while rifling my pockets. As she stopped to tuck one of my most hardly earned five pound notes into the top of her stocking I sensed that my moment of triumph was at hand. Whirling once after the manner of the great discuss throwers of by-gone days I didst hurl my weapon with great force catching the wretch full astern and driving her most hastily from my chambers. Returning to my inner rooms in great glee, after carefully double barring my outer door, I didst discover that my athletic endeavors didst alleviate my gout. Having spent the latter part of the forenoon and the greater part of the afternoon consuming some of my better sack and counting my money, I didst dress myself most carefully in my newest stuff suit of black bombazin and a fresh lace ruff. Upon adjusting my perwig and fitting my finest Toledo blade to my belt I advanced forth from my chambers intent on strolling to the College-by-the-Sea. As I proceeded through the lower halls I didst again espy my wife stooping over retrieving one of my gold collar studs from the floor. Again seizing my opportunity I drew my sword and, pirouetting gracefully didst strike her full abait with the flat of my blade. Thus I proceeded in great glee to the Freezer to see the battle betwixt the Masters and the Crows. A scene of great mirth didst confront me, the masters gaily bedecked in tasteful period costumes appropriate to the occasion. The Crows on the contrary didst dress in their usual slovenly attire. The fray having begun I didst betake myself to the pews to enjoy the jousting. Didst greatly marvel at the skills of certain of the masters. Had I not witnessed one Statistics Blackpork traverse a great length of ice on the nether part of his anatomy I would not have believed such a feat possible. Rocky Halt didst like a derwisk transport himself with the greatest celerity about the pond to the great dismay of the Crows. This latter band didst assume for the fray a most false title, for they didst call themselves the Tigresses, a name completely unsuited for the tigress is a NOBLE beast. Home in high dudgeon for in the last moments one of the Masters did turn coat and thus avail the Crows of the victory a triumph they wouldst never achieve by their own hand.

Tuesday, Mar. 8. Up very betimes to the great University to see the revels, it being a great holiday. To the James in the forenoon, to see the great contest between the Pigma Stys and the Dry Felts. A most excellent display of talent seeing the might of these two groups arrayed in opposition. A nip and tuck affair with the men from Souze St. emerging victorious. To the Hamilton for lunch. Returned to the Freezer to witness the great ice war between the Liars and the Paupers. Most rough and unseemly conduct displayed by both groups of combatants whence the Liars emerged clutching the great trophy. Then to the James to ogle the beauties vying for honors as Queen of the Festivities. Didst see one Weakleg who didst throw about the late edition of the Spectator. Upon procuring a copy I didst, after duly meditating over the front page, turn to the inner section to peruse the work of my ghost writer. Upon scanning the sheet my sanguine eyeballs were assailed

NFCUS Text Survey

The Dalhousie NFCUS Survey on Text-books is finally completed. Committee chairman, George Travis finished his report over the weekend and stated that Dalhousie students should have no kick over the costs of text-books at Dalhousie. The NFCUS survey was scheduled to be completed in January, but the Dalhousie NFCUS Committee received scant information from many universities. A circular, containing 70 books used in Dalhousie "elementary" courses was sent to 21 Canadian universities. As of this weekend, only 10 replies had been received, two of these being from University of New Brunswick and St. Francis Xavier. The delay in compiling the report was mainly due to the lack of co-operation from the other Maritime universities. Although the information received from farther universities was of tremendous assistance, the Committee felt that information from the other Maritime Universities was of more importance.

The circular listed the Dalhousie price for the textbook and asked the receiving university to reply with their prices. Naturally, many books used at Dalhousie are not in use at other universities, but of the ten replies received, a total of 61 books were in use at other universities across Canada. These prices compared most favorably with Dalhousie prices. Twenty-four cases were found with Dalhousie's price being considerably under those of the other universities. In eight cases, Dalhousie prices were higher than their fellow universities, and in 29 cases, Dalhousie prices were on an equal basis with other universities. From this, it can be inferred that Dalhousie prices compare most favorably with other university prices across Canada.

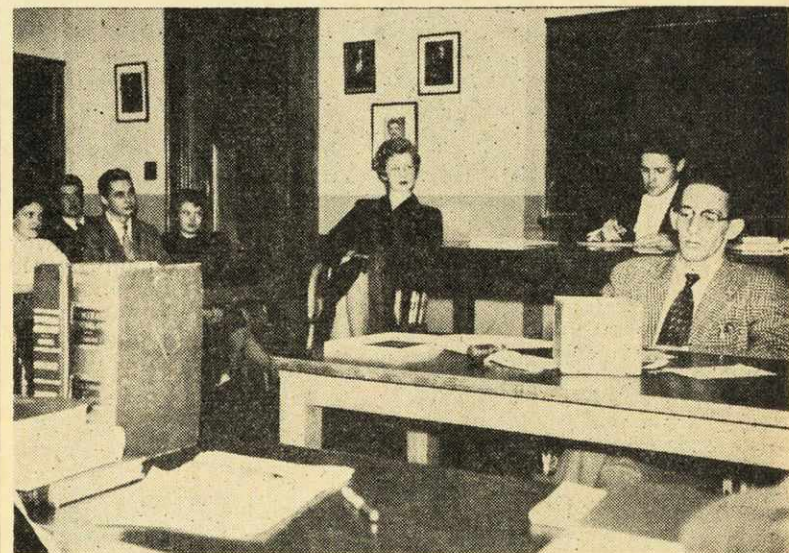
In most universities, the university employs permanent employees to operate the text-book store. In a few universities, the students operate their own store either independently or as part time employees. The sale of second-hand books is a big venture in most universities with books being bought from anywhere to 50 to 65 per cent of retail value and then sold at 10 per cent mark-up. Paper backs are not used extensively in most Canadian universities, with the exception of a few university English courses.

The Committee interviewed Mr. Roy Atwood, proprietor of the Studley Book Store. Mr. Atwood said that he received a 10 per cent discount from the publishers and sold his books at a 10 per cent mark-up from the discount price. In effect, Dalhousie students are buying textbooks at the list price. Since no outstanding profits were reported from other universities, and since Dalhousie prices were generally the same or under other university prices, it seems reasonable to assume that Dalhousie students are receiving a fair deal on the textbook question.

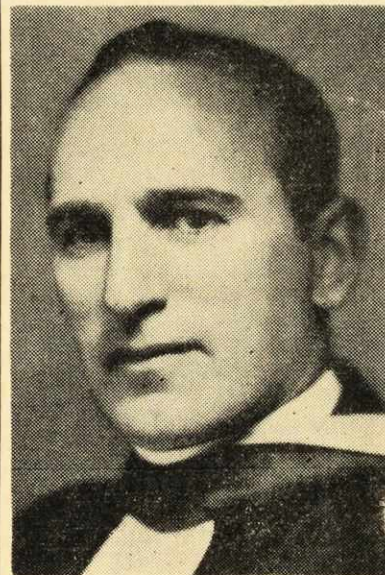
at the sight of a column headed, "Report from Dame Peeps." Upon reading this trash I at once knew that even my idiotic wife could not descend to such moronic banality. Upon scrutiny I didst believe that one could perceive the hand of one Shoulder-Holster behind these trivialities. At closer perusal one could also detect a certain degree of inanity which could come only from the pen of a trite mite from the Hovel who labors under the pseudonym (a word, forsooth, she could not spell) of Fatboy. One of my exceeding good taste cannot imagine the crass audacity of such creatures. To two, through of the first order of crows are so low born that they can walk upright under an inchworm in mid stride. Unable to stomach any more of this nonsense I didst rent this copy to shreds and stalk to my residence in white heat resolved to soundly trounce my wife. This was not carried out for the wretch "greeted" me at the door with a cricket bat. Didst barely escape and resolved to spend my time in the future at the Hamilton, away from my wretched associates. And so to bed (under a table).



Vic Burstall and Dennis Madden attended the NFCUS Conference in Toronto.



Regina vs. Pudymaitis provided the lawyers with laughs



Rev. Bonnell led the University Christian Mission.



Mrs. Little, after mending socks and sweaters, donated a new trophy to the football team.



Terry Goodyear won the Campus King Contest



The Law School Mock Parliament was again a success