

NEWMAN CLUB, CYO HOLD PEP RALLY

The chief item of interest at the Newmanites' brief business meeting last Sunday night was the Communion Breakfast, which is to be held on Nov. 30th.

With St. Dunstan's Hall filled to overflowing, the members of the Newman Club and the C. Y. O. held a joint pep rally.

Father McDonald, in his opening address, introduced the guest speaker of the evening, Father Bernard Quinn, O. M. I. Father Quinn presented a very interesting and beneficial account of various Catholic Youth activities in different sections.

The serious side of the meeting over, Father Quinn proceeded very informally, to conduct a brief, but highly amusing, "Soap Opera Skit" aided by "five fugitives from Newman Hall." The results were, as you can imagine—"terrific!" Following that, Father Quinn stole the show with his music and songs, then started a sing-song.

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UNIVERSITIES POSSIBLY EVADING FUNDAMENTAL ISSUES

"We found at Lundsberg that the University is no longer leading society, but that society is leading the university," stated Mr. Ross Hamilton, who spoke to some score or more of S. C. M. members in the Community "Y" last Sunday evening.

Mr. Hamilton, who is a third year student in Arts at Dalhousie plans to enter the ministry of the United Church of Canada. He attended the Lundsberg Conference on the university as well as the World Conference on Christian Youth in Oslo during his summer spent in Europe.

Describing the liberal university as a place where "neutrality" is used as a pretext for the evasion of fundamental issues the speaker continued to outline the role of the Christian Student in that setting. He felt that the Christian is called to search for truth in all areas of life and that the discoveries of science must be incorporated into a dynamic and ever-expanding Christian faith.

After the speaker had finished, the members, as usual broke up into informal discussion groups while tea was being served by the lunch committee.

GOOD TIME AT U-Y BANQUET

The first banquet of the season for the U-Y Club proved to be an outstanding success. A large number of members, including Co-Eds, turned up for the feast. Sitting at the head table with Wally Macaulay, Toastmaster, were Prof. De Merten, John Vey, Elaine Simpson, and Mary Louise Hay.

The banquet preceded a social evening held by the club last Thursday, November 13.

The social committee of the Club, under the direction of Ralph Hale, featured a snappy entertainment programme which included not only an evening chock-full of dancing, guitar selections by Hale, but audience participation in several glorious feats, as, how to dress a baby, who gets the kiss—Betty Robinson or Don Cooke?

Supplementing the programme was a lively sing-song with Prof. De Merten at the piano and a couple of interesting sports and comical moving pictures.

Singers Postpone Scottish Programme

The Varsity Singers have decided to postpone the Scottish Day Programme, scheduled to be presented the latter part of this month, until the first of next month. The need for postponement is a result of inability to obtain music soon enough and with exams just around the corner, it was felt by the group that they would be able to do a better job on the project when there were plenty of time and material available.

More soprano and altos as well as tenors are needed in order to make a suitable balance in the club—everyone is welcome. Practices are held twice each week—on Sunday afternoons at 2:30 and Monday evenings at 9:00 P. M. in Dr. De Merten's lecture room on the first floor of the Arts Building.

Xmas Exams Cancelled at U.B.C.

By C. U. P.

U. B. C. students will write no formal Christmas examinations this year, Registrar Charles B. Wood announced last week. Mid-term and term tests will be given in regular lecture periods instead of the regular practice of two hour examinations.

This policy is in line with several other Canadian universities this year. Queens and Manitoba, among others, have called off the Yuletide tests.

U. B. C. HEADS RADIO SOCIETY CBC OFFERS TIME

By C. U. P.

U. B. C. has taken over the chairmanship of the Western Universities Radio Society Federation, a report in the Ubsysey states.

Activities will include inter-campus news from each of the four western universities, operated by "Hams" and an interchange of plays presented on each campus.

The CBC has offered a trans-Canada show for a half hour each week for an eight week period.

Two types of programmes have been submitted for approval. One is of an introductory nature to each university featuring campus choral groups, actors, instrumentalists, and script writers. The other type planned is in the form of a quiz show making use of both professors and students.

FILM CHAIRMAN ELECTED

Nineteen members attended the second meeting of the Arts Society on November 13.

Murray Bernard was elected Chairman of the University Film Society, which expects to show select films rented from the National Film Board at Ottawa. The first film is likely to be presented in January.

A social committee was set up within the society with John Hildebrand, Chairman; Noel "Chubby" Baxter; Ted Gilbert; Fred Collier, and Jackie Michaud as members.

The Society's first social function will take place in January.

Murray Bernard outlined a proposal for the creation and publication of a magazine of definite "literary" and "artistic" merit, which, it is hoped, the Society will sponsor. A name is yet to be chosen and suggestions for same are being welcomed by Fred Collier and Murray Bernard. This proposal was unanimously accepted by the Society. It is to be noted that such a publication will be open to all faculties contributing work of a literary nature. Mr. Collier was chosen to present this proposal to the S. R. C. for final sanction.

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The engineers held their first social of the year on Thursday 13th in the Memorial Hall. We wish more Freshies and Sophs had been there. You fellows really missed a good time.

Early in the evening Birn McIntyre (class '50) introduced Russ Whitebone the guest artist of the evening. Russ is from that beautiful glorious home of the Beavers, Saint John. Russell and his doll kept everybody in stitches all the time he was on the stage, with his clever art of ventriloquism and impersonations. He is known internationally for his performances on this continent, Europe and the British Isles. The Engineering Society was both pleased and fortunate in securing his services for the Social.

The Alumni will be very pleased that the hall has been thoroughly surveyed by Senior students, and was found to be geometrically sound (142 by 67 squares).

The Smiths and the Joneses of un-stated address competed in one of those hilarious fire-eating contests. The contest ended in a draw, and the prizes were awarded to the wives.

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