

# Jenkins Explains Structural Motion

The new structural motion, ensuring equal representation from the English-speaking caucus and the French-speaking faction, was slated for discussion on Monday afternoon.

David Jenkins, council president, undertook to explain this motion.

He cited examples of French-English splits in politics; both in Social Credit and NDP ranks. He also mentioned that there is a split in the Canadian University Press, with the English being primarily concerned with news and the French with features.

Jenkins said that NFCUS must take the initiative in order to prevent such a schism in this area. Separatism, he stated, is not essentially caused by inattention on the English-speaking side.

### SOLUTION IN GROUPS

Some English-speakers show concern for the separatist movement; however, they often turn a deaf ear to French rights. There is no point in either faction looking outward for help, for the solution is to be found

within each group. Trust must be placed in the structure, he added, which must be black and white if it is to be of any value. In the past, NFCUS has paid total recognition to the rights of the French-speaking nation. The president may be from the French ranks.

However, there is no guarantee that the French will be present on the executive, with the exception of the regional president.

### GUARANTEE RIGHTS

The new structure is a guarantee, Jenkins claimed, to the rights of either nation. Students must stand united; otherwise there is not much hope for Canada. This structure provides for three French representatives elected by the French speaking nation and three English representatives, elected by the English caucus, on the board of governors.

The French would elect a French vice-president and the English caucus an English vice-president. The general president would be one of either group.

The dinner adjournment ended Jenkin's explanation.



REV. TERRY ANDERSON

### Varsity Voices

## Canada Land Of Many Cultures

To The Editor:

It's unfortunate delegates to the NFCUS conference didn't attend the concert presented by The Travellers at Con Hall. They might have learned something.

For this concert was proof that the richness of Canada comes from its diversity of ethnic backgrounds, occupations and geography.

From Buena Vista to Vancouver Island and from the Arctic Circle to the Great Lakes, lies a vast and varied land reflecting in the lives and loves of its people an image of every culture in the world.

The use of English and French as designates is hopelessly inadequate to pigeonhole the culture of our land. Not only do they fail to cover a large portion of our people, they are misnomers in themselves.

The difficulty is that we tend to elevate the importance of our own particular culture. And, in so doing, we project an attitude, however unintentional, of superiority.

The legend of Canada's growth and development, preserved in songs such as those The Travellers sing; proves one thing:

That every race and culture contributed to the Canada of today and no one culture has done it alone. The attempts by any ethnic group to become a separate entity can only result in their own downfall.

French-Canadian nationalists don't see it.

But do we, who erroneously call ourselves English, see it?

A. Plebeian

## Students Agree Changes Needed

French-Canadian students generally agree that changes in NFCUS organization are necessary, but that these changes do not involve a complete split between the French and English groups in NFCUS.

They are proposing a new set-up, to be inaugurated at the next national congress of NFCUS.

Their proposal, very basically, would include a General Union of Canadian University Students, composed of separate French and English 'syndicates.'

The fundamental rights of both groups must be respected, but at the same time, unity is necessary.

As Pierre Boily of the University

of Sherbrooke said: "If we had wanted to separate, we would have stayed home. No gain will be made from a split; unity is necessary, but a common ground must be found for this union."

The students expect their proposals to succeed. The only problem which appears is that of finding a common ground within predominantly French areas between the French universities and English ones in the areas, such as McGill of Montreal.

As one delegate pointed out: "If students don't succeed in co-operating at this level, how will government work out their problems?"

## NFCUS Admits Two New Members

The Regina campus of the University of Saskatchewan and the Eastern Institute of Technology, Ottawa, Monday were both unanimously accepted into the National Federation of Canadian University Students (NFCUS) meeting here for their 27th annual Congress.

Stewart Goodings, former NFCUS president, speaking on behalf of the executive committee said that the committee recommended acceptance of both applications.

The entire application and vote took less than 10 minutes and the delegates offered no questions or debate on the applications.

Bob Gaundry, student president of the Regina campus, said that they

had not anticipated any opposition. Regina presently has an enrolment of 931 students and teaches only the faculty of arts.

E.I.O.T. President, Don Innes, said that they had expected at least some opposition or at least a couple of questions. Eastern Institute has an enrolment of 625.

This brings the NFCUS membership to 41 colleges, universities, and institutes.

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## New Chaplain For United Church

United Church members on campus will receive a new Chaplain on the weekend.

Taking on the position will be the Rev. Terry Anderson, a graduate of St. Stephen's College.

Rev. Anderson comes to the campus from New York City, where, for the past five years, he has been doing post-graduate work in Christian Ethics at Union Theological Seminary. Prior to his New York study, Rev. Anderson was minister at Sundre, Alberta.

The installation service, to take place in Wauneita Lounge, Sunday at 2:30 p.m., will be conducted by Dr.

C. A. S. Elliott, president of the church's Alberta Conference.

### CRAGG WILL ASSIST

Dr. Elliott will be assisted by Student Union President Wes Cragg, who will read the Scripture, and his father, Dr. Arthur Cragg of Knox United Church, who will outline the duties of the Chaplain.

University Vice-President Dr. H. S. Armstrong will address the student congregation, and the Chairman of the Edmonton Presbytery, the Rev. Peter Ream of Fort Saskatchewan, will perform the installation.

Refreshments will be served by the United Church Girls' Fellowship.

## CUCND Still Has Work

"The test ban treaty is a great step forward, but CUCND will still have work to do until the possibility of nuclear war no longer exists."

So said John Gishler, Alberta president of the Combined Universities' Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament, after the showing of two films, "The Language of Faces" and "His Neighbor".

The films, dealing with topics of world peace and war, began the CUCND program for this year.

Plans are in process to have professors and others speak on such topics as "Civil Disobedience" and "The Effect of Fallout".

Gishler, referring to the test ban treaty summarized, "We are happy with the treaty, but it is limited and excludes, for example, underground treaties. We feel there is a danger that interest in disarmament may flag now we have achieved the first step. We do not intend to stop there."

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