

Punchline

"Unadorned in its pristine loveliness" —some lowlife once took this snide-swipe at an innocent rose, which by any other name would have smelled as fresh as the new students on "the Hill" this year. Some helpful sophomores, however soon adorned them with white-wash, taught them how to (ugh!) bowl, and otherwise gave them some first impressions to tone down to their grandchildren. Street-dancing, pyjama-dancing, in fact, everything but fan-dancing was arranged to keep down the inertia of the Frosh.

Having allowed a week to pass for the participants to rest up, and the ring-leaders to come out of hiding, the U.N.B. Newman Club also came out of hiding to open up a new season of activities. On Sunday the twenty-eighth, the first meeting opened with a prayer (every-one was praying there wouldn't be a speaker) and ended likewise (Man were they disillusioned!). Three speakers, yet!! First to gaze into the eighty-odd vacant faces was the President, Bob Whalen, who managed to croak a few words on Newmanism, introduce the new executive (treasurer, Al Richard; secretary, Henry Doiron; vice-president, Ivan Roy), make a few announcements (sample: Again Newman Club has an intramural basketball team Up the Hill) then collapse into a folding-chair which he more than slightly resembles—after introducing the next speaker, Mr. A. Rioux.

Mr. Rioux, U.N.B. alumnus (Civil Eng. '49), and Past President of the Newman Club, spoke briefly in a way which made even the most disinterested member realize that some talks make those hardwood chairs softer instead of the opposite. After Mr. Rioux' talk, the Pastor of St. Dunstons, Dr. Boyd, welcomed the students to the church and parish of St. Dunstan's, bringing the formal meeting to a close.

What happened next? Movies—three, to be mathematical about it. There came coffee, doughnuts and conversation—"My name is Erschel Twang" etc. After the volunteers (you! you! and you!)—finished washing the dishes the group returned home to struggle with their respective Math assignments or Chemistry problems, or maybe just sit contemplating the Annual Newman Club spiritual retreat, to be held on October 17, 18 and 19. See you there! Now warn't that subtle?

U.I.S. PLANS ACTIVITIES

The first meeting of the University Investment Syndicate for the new term was held on Tuesday, September 28th. It was decided to start a membership drive among the new students and all others interested. After a very successful year of exploring the workings of the stock market, a paying industrial stock is being sold to give the club capital to invest in other stocks. During the business meeting a new clause was added to the constitution concerning non-active members of the club. All students interested in joining are invited to attend the next meeting. Watch the bulletin board for notices.

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Following applications were accepted: UNB Social Committee Chairman, Miss Noreen Donahoe; Campus Co-ordinator W.J. Reddin; Manager Track & Field Team, W.J. Reddin; Manager Hockey Team, John Bishop; Manager Soccer Team, Dick Hobart; Ass't. Mgr. Soccer Team, Yvan Chartier; Ass't. Mgr. Canadian Football Team, Dick Hale; Manager Badminton Team, Jim Strickland; Photo Editor 1953 Year Book, Jim Henderson.

The application of Bob Scott and Grant Boundy to look after the Public Address System at sports functions and other activities is being studied and it is expected that a decision will be reached at the next meeting.

The Council was informed that there would be a two day Blood Donor Clinic at U.N.B. on October 14 and 15. The University will once again be entering competition for the Intercollegiate Blood Donor Trophy currently held by the University of British Columbia.

There will also be a Tuberculosis X-Ray Unit on the campus on October 24. Arrangements are being worked out in the Registrar's Office to have all students and staff attend.

The U.N.B. — N.F.C.U.S. Committee presented a budget for \$35.00 for the publication of a N.F.C.U.S. Newsletter which will be circulated amongst European Universities, especially those behind the "Iron Curtain" in an effort to keep them informed on what is going on in Universities in the free world.

S.C.M. Acquires Permanent Secretary

For the first time in its history, the Student Christian Movement in the University of New Brunswick has a full-time General Secretary. He is Rev. Paul Tillemann of Horsham, Saskatchewan, who takes up his duties in Fredericton early this month.

Mr. Tillemann brings a wealth of experience to aid him in his work. From 1943 to 1946 he served in the R.C.A.F. After the war, he resumed his studies at the University of Alberta, graduating with a B.A. degree in 1948. During his student days, he was active both in sports and in non-athletic organizations. For one year, he was President of the Student Christian Movement in the University of Alberta. He attended the National Council of the Student Christian Movement of Canada and participated in several regional conferences sponsored by the Movement. In 1947, he was a delegate to the Student Volunteer Movement Conference in Lawrence, Kansas.

After graduation from the University of Alberta, Mr. Tillemann continued his studies at United College, Winnipeg. He received his B.D. degree in 1951 and in the same year was ordained a minister of the United Church of Canada. During the 1951-52 session, he studied at New York Theological Seminary in New York working toward his Master's degree in systematic theology. He took lectures from two of America's leading theologians, Reinhold Niebuhr and Paul Tillich. This past summer, he has been engaged in counselling work at Trenton, New Jersey.

While in the United States, he participated in a seminar on Government in Washington and in United Nations discussion groups in New York.

It is expected that Mr. Tillemann's coming to U.N.B. will mark the beginning of a great expansion in the work of the Student Christian Movement.

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are due to Margaret MacNaughton and Pete Trueman, without whose assistance the banquet would not have been such a success.

On Tuesday afternoon the Freshmen were assembled at College Field with the intention of painting the surrounding field fence. The results were negligible but at this time many new acquaintances and friends were made which, after all, is the reason for the week's activities.

Tuesday evening a Sports Night was held in the Gymnasium to acquaint the Freshmen with the many services and facilities offered by Pete Kelly and his staff. Most of those present engaged in some sport or other and the evening was considered to have accomplished its objective.

Wednesday evening the Freshmen were assembled on the steps of the Arts Building for the taking of the yearly picture(?). At this time it was noted that most of the students were wearing a sort of white powder which apparently descended from the heavens upon them. The spirit of the evening was captured by everyone and a howling mob descended on the city in the semblance of a parade. The original object of the migration to the main street was to attend a Street Dance to be held at Phoenix Square. However, the horde passed right by the Square beside the Police Station and continued the procession down towards the hospital. During this time the local "Meat Wagon" was given a fresh coat of paint, which did a great deal towards the strengthening of relations between the gendarmes and the students.

The phalanx of students suddenly re-appeared on King Street and dashed in and out of several local business establishments and recreation houses before finally ending up back at Phoenix Square and the Street Dance. After a good deal of commotion, during which several people were dunked in the fountain outside City Hall, everyone either settled down to dance or to go home. The remainder of the evening was quiet.

The next evening the Frosh assembled at Memorial Hall for the annual Junior Barn Dance which all reports termed successful.

The fiasco down town on Wednesday evening was considered sufficient cause

to put an end to the remainder of the Freshman Week activities and in consequence the Sophomore Court, scheduled for Friday evening, and the Freshman Ball were officially struck from the programme.

On Friday the Freshmen gathered in the Memorial Hall to be brought up to date on what actually did happen on Wednesday evening.

And so it was with this undesirable note that Freshman Week came to an end. In a way Freshman Week was not a loss since the new students did make new friends and were familiarized with the campus. However it is hoped that in years to come activities of this kind will be less harmful for it breaks and washes away many of the elements of good-will and cordiality between the University students and the people of Fredericton.

ONE-ACTS SCHEDULED Etc.

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is also the U.N.B. Drama Society business manager.

Fumed Oak depicts middle-class suburban life in London. It is the story of a hen-pecked husband who tolerates his shrewish wife, his brat of a child, and his viperish mother-in-law as long as possible. Finally the worm turns and leaves England to enjoy life; the others are left to fend for themselves.

The third U.N.B. production to be presented the latter part of this month is unique. Also an all-male cast will be directed by a young lady, Miss Moira Thompson. The play is *Reunion*, authored by St. John Tayleur. A more serious note is struck, though the play is an analysis of the change in viewpoint and ideals as seen under stress and strain of the tragedy of Dunkirk and as later seen in the more relaxed and unidealistic post-war period.

Altogether, more than 14 players will be used in the three one-acts, and from now until the curtain closes on the last night, upwards of 40 members of the U.N.B. Drama Society will be hard

at work, for every last detail is important for success. And to the dramatists, the Society's reputation must not only be maintained but strengthened.

There you, too, can do your part. You can do your part in making the 1952-53 season of drama at U.N.B. a full one.

Yes, engineers, foresters, artsmen and scientists, as well as any other type of student can always find a place for themselves in the U.N.B. Drama Society. Draftsmen, artists, designers, have an important function. Engineers, for example, can particularly show their talents in the field of lighting effects.

Of course the three one-act plays are preliminary to the year's major production—when many more talented actors and actresses will be required.

Ushers, doormen, ticket salesmen, costumers, publicists, hostesses — all are necessary in play production. Countless others also have a part to play "for all the world's a stage and all the people merely players".

Radio Club Plans Program for Year

by Dave Rogers

The first meeting for the current year of the U.N.B. Radio Club was held on the evening of Monday, September 29.

The meeting was well attended by both former members and newcomers to the campus. Freshmen were welcomed and introduced by President Bob Kavanaugh. In his welcoming remarks, Bob described the Club as being one interested in the study of electronics. He also expressed the hope that during the year members would be able to have many good educational films, talks and lectures from Faculty and club members. It was decided that the Club should buy a new variable frequency oscillator and rebuild the transmitter now in use. The year's budget was also discussed. Another meeting will be held soon and the date of this meeting will appear in the *Brunswickan*.

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Major R. E. NEWTON

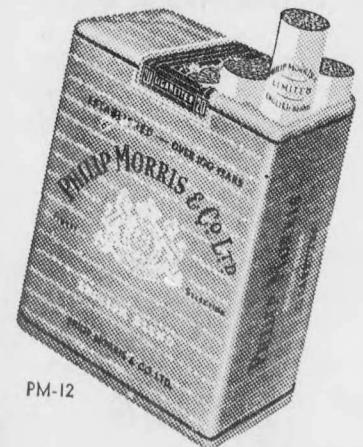
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