



—Terry Malanchuk photo

HERE IT IS—the Instantaneous Anarchist Government that overpowered students' council last night with its manifesto: "We of this government are concerned with relevant irrelevancy dealing with obsolete in an absolutely obsolete manner, believe that reality is the word that defines us. We are real, and all others are by definition unreal—they are ignorant of any of the dialectics involved in the obsolete political dichotomy referred to in Section 5, subsection 17, paragraph 643, subparagraph 9,641, issue three of Roberts' Rules of Order and can only serve to obfuscate the real issues." Their reign of terror was shortlived, ending as council returned from its most relevant business—the break.

Teachers try militancy

Teachers have seen how militancy works for their students and have decided to try it for themselves.

So claimed Dr. B. T. Keeler, Executive Secretary of the Alberta Teachers' Association, in an interview with *The Gateway*.

In a paper he presented recently to a conference in Halifax, Dr. Keeler claims that in the last two years teacher militancy has increased considerably. He attributes this to an increase in teacher dissatisfaction and to the increasing difficulty in negotiating for improvements.

Teacher demands include smaller classes, more preparation time, non-professional help (such as teaching assistants), greater participation in all educational de-

cision making, and increased salaries. Dr. Keeler noted that implementation of these demands would be beneficial to students as well as teachers.

However, according to Dr. Keeler, meeting the teachers' demands would require at least a 30 per cent increase in education expenditure in any given year as well as the normal annual increase, and this is making negotiation for improvements increasingly difficult. This in turn increases teacher militancy, he said.

Dr. Keeler said the strike would be the primary sanction applied by teachers in Alberta. In his paper, he stated he believes the strike to be the best sanction for all concerned, due to the swift action it promotes and its cathartic effect on both sides of the dispute.

"Devil exorcised" at SFU in march as strike gains support from English

BURNABY (CUP)—A group of 50 chanting, incense burning students from the English department at Simon Fraser University Monday marched into the administration building to "Exorcise the devil" out of the building.

In this case the devil was Administration President Kenneth Strand, who by refusing to negotiate with the university's striking Department of Political Science, Sociology and Anthropology by 12:30 p.m. Monday guaranteed that at least some of the English Department's students would join the PSA and students from the History Department on strike.

But observers report that the support for the sympathy strike within the English Department is

by no means general, and that English classes will be little effected.

Following the suspension of nine professors within the PSA Department Friday, SFU Student President Norm Wickstrom has called for a meeting of the Joint Faculty Council for Wednesday.

The council is the second most powerful body on campus, after the Board of Governors. Wickstrom was forced to collect the signatures of one-eighth of the members of the council to call the meeting, as Dr. Strand refused to do so.

The meeting will discuss the crisis within the university, and attempt to decide on a policy toward the continuing strike of PSA

and the continuing refusal of SFU administration to discuss the crisis.

Nine PSA faculty members suspended Friday by Dr. Strand for failing to teach regular classes in the approved manner will not be allowed to vote at the meeting.

Striking students and faculty are demanding:

- Willingness by the administration to negotiate over the abolition of an administration trusteeship controlling the department;
- Restoration of tenure and promotions to PSA faculty who were fired, demoted, or placed on probation;
- Recognition of the department's structure of total student parity.

Women invade masculine world medicine and law become coed

By **BETH WINTERINGHAM**

Women are invading the masculine world on an ever-increasing scale. This year 24 girls are enrolled in first-year Medicine and 20 in Law.

Judy Gabert, Medicine 1, wanted to be a doctor all her life and nursing was not challenging enough for her.

"I want to see the attitude that women must be crazy to get into medicine changed," said Miss Gabert.

GIRLS ACCEPTED

Judy feels that girls are accepted by the male students. But there is a small amount of opposition from older doctors, who Judy says dislike girls being trained as doctors and then getting married and wasting their careers.

Judy wants both marriage and a career: "I think it will be a lot more demanding, but I think it can be done."

Starting this year an M.D. will take six years instead of seven. Two years of pre-med are followed by four years of medicine, with internship incorporated into the last four years. Students will have to work one summer during this time.

LAW ONE ANSWER

Laura Scott, Law 1, already has a B.A. in Sociology. She had planned to go to the University of Toronto and later do social work, but while working at an Alberta hospital for the past two years she became interested in law. This interest has developed into plans for a career.

Laura is not yet sure what branch of law she will enter, but she is primarily interested in how the law affects people.

"I am glad I took my Arts degree first," she said.

Laura has not noticed discrimination in her classes. "The guys tease us," but it is all in fun.

She doesn't want to be thought

of as a feminist invading the ranks of male society. She thinks it is perfectly natural for women to be in the professions.

"I think there is a good place for women," she concluded.

Opinion

Homecoming weekend

By **KEN HUTCHINSON**

Students wishing to use their lounge on the seventh floor were asked to leave because there were about three tables of alumni sitting there.

This happened because Homecoming was held over the last weekend. The events included a theatre party on Friday night, a panel discussion Saturday morning, an athletic reception followed by the Bear football game, a banquet and ball Saturday evening, and a tea on Sunday afternoon.

The weekend was supposedly a chance for former students to come back to campus and see what was going on. But the plans for the weekend eliminated this possibility. Nearly all the functions were social. At these there were a few attractive females as hostesses but there was always a tray or a cheerleader's uniform to prevent real contact.

The only serious part of the weekend was a students' union forum Saturday morning. Few people made the 10 a.m. meeting and those who did were not allowed much chance to discuss as the meeting was broken up just as discussion started. This was supposedly to allow people to attend the luncheon, which did not start for another half hour.

Homecoming cannot bring people back to the university they knew, but it could attempt to show them the university as it is now.

campus calendar

FRIDAY—OCT. 10

- FRIDAY FORUM
SUB Theatre Lobby 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.
- STUDENTS' CINEMA
"Cleopatra"—SUB
Showing at 8:00 p.m.

OCTOBER 5 - 24:

- ART GALLERY
Paintings by Virgil Hammock
"The Centennial Suite"

OCTOBER 17-25:

- JUBILAIRES present
'STOP THE WORLD—I WANT TO GET OFF'
- ROOM AT THE TOP
Now open for lunches 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
- SUNDAY CINEMAS CANCELLED
- THE "COWSILLS" ARE COMING

WATCH THIS CORNER EVERY TUESDAY AND THURSDAY FOR THE WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

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