

Dregs from the cup

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CUCND Preachers Push Peace Race. Plan Picket Parliament. Ban the Bomb Efforts by CUCND. Eastern Universities have become so engrossed with this ban the bomb blitz, they have now turned for excitement to banning would-be banners from banning from . . .

In Toronto, the Combined Universities Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament has attempted the expulsion of the president of the U of T communist party. Excuse: "Any one who supports a regime which supports nuclear testing cannot be a member of CUCND." Obviously their motion neglected to recognize the implications of this motion for Liberals, Conservatives and members of NORAD.

This banning gurg could go too far. Consider for instance the psychological effect a ban on love at U of New Brunswick could have on Mr. Hart, the newly established advice to the lovelorn columnist? Such a shock could even destroy all the confidence Mr. Hart had built up during his advising years with The Miami Times, The Los Angeles Star and the Sandiego Express.

Ryersonian editors have urges to ban world history courses which somehow manage to obliterate Canada from the international scene. A 700 page text used for a Ryerson course, "World History of the Nineteen Century", is able to devote only two-thirds of one short page to Canada. How, query the editors, can a prospective citizen believe in and for, and be prepared to defend, the

importance of something they can learn all about in 40-50 lines? Canadian history is not "that dull old stuff again."

They declare students are too often faced by teachers and tests taking that exact attitude because they too have never tried to look further into the subject.

Acadia University has come up with a solution to population explosion and growth on campus. Ban all enrollment over a certain limited registration. With the addition of 476 new students this term, the university has 1,074 full and part-time scholars and is finding it hard to accommodate them. Their midget gym has become too small for any major dances.

Even tree boughs are becoming scarce and the cost of converting hotels to residences would prove too expensive. Result, "the policy for expansion at Acadia will not exceed 1,500. Keep our university small." And Alberta, with a 6,000 plus enrollment is apathetic!! provincial!

Anyone successful in getting Bill Bailey to come home, please contact Ryerson. Down there, they are "thinking big in a new trend" and would like to have elusive Bill come home for home-coming festivities.

CUSO "rewarding, educational"

OTTAWA (CUP) — When industry begins its graduate recruiting program on the campus this year, a new competitor will be in the midst.

Canadian University Service Overseas, the program by which university graduates are to be sent overseas to serve in junior positions in Asia and Africa, will be attempting to lure graduates away from the prospects of a solid financial future for a "rewarding, educational abroad."

Lewis Perinbam, acting executive secretary of CUSO, said this week that unlike the industrial recruiting programs, CUSO will not visit every campus to make its appeal. "The details of the offers will be publicized on the campuses," he said, "and graduates will be invited to apply." He indicated that a great deal of reliance would be placed on

recommendations of university officials.

POSTS OPEN

CUSO plans to try to place 100 Canadian graduates overseas during the next year. Posts for teachers, doctors and engineers are available. Funds required for transportation costs and living allowances at local scales will be raised in Canada.

"On the whole, applicants should be prepared to go for two years at least," said Mr. Perinbam. "One year is just a costly holiday."

Canadian University Service Overseas came into existence last June under the auspices of Canadian universities and a number of national organizations, including NFCUS and WUSC.

Financial support for CUSO is assured in part from the Canadian universities and from its member organizations. Additional funds for its

operation nad program will be sought from business and industry, foundations, governments, private donors and other sources.

GRADS WELCOME

Mr. Perinbam, recently returned from a tour of southeast Asian countries, said he found "a great eagerness to receive Canadian graduates."

"Asian countries do not wish charity, patronage or pity, nor do they wish Canadians to think they are coming 'to civilize' them," he pointed out.

"Canadians can do much to help the peoples of Asia and Africa in their struggle for a more just and equitable society," added the acting secretary. "At the same time, young Canadians who serve overseas will be able to add a new dimension to their education broaden their knowledge and understanding of the world in which we live, and bring credit to Canada."

WUS to require more money

OTTAWA (CUP) — Students' councils should expect to have requests for more money for the activities of World University Service of Canada directed at them in the near future.

Dr. A. J. Gibson, national chairman of WUSC, said last Friday, local WUSC committees are not getting the grants they should from their councils "simply because they are not asking at the right time."

He urged the delegates to the 16th National Assembly of WU SC not to be hesitant in asking for money from their local governments.

He also declared contributions from the local level to the national and international programs of WU SC should be made uniform. He asserts this will ease planning at the national level.

Dr. Gibson made his remarks during his report to the Assembly,

which opened yesterday at Carleton University.

Governor General and Mme. Vanier presided at the opening of the Assembly. This marks the first national assembly at which the honorary president has been present.

Dr. Davidson Dunton, president of Carleton, welcomed the delegates and guests. Members of the diplomatic corps were present for the opening ceremonies.

Life membership for l'heureux and tarnapolsky

KINGSTON (CUP) — Two former officials of the National Federation of Canadian University Students were awarded the first lifetime memberships in the federation "for their efforts and sacrifices" in forwarding the student cause in Canada.

Former president Walter Tarnapolsky and former executive secretary Andre L'Heureux were cited for making "efforts and sacrifices far beyond the call of duty" and as having "inestimable effects upon the growth of student unity in Canada."

L'Heureux came to the federation when it was located in the basement of Carleton University. By sheer hard work and persuasiveness, he helped to pull the federation up to its present respected position. Many of the projects in action today—such as the seminar—were first conceived by M. L'Heureux.

Since he finished his term of office three years ago, Tarnapolsky has acted in various capacities for the federation both here and abroad. He has gained an excellent reputation for Canada, especially at communist-sponsored and dominated conferences which he attended as an observer.

Queen's proposal defeated

KINGSTON (CUP)—A resolution to elect both a president and a president of the National Federation of Canadian University Students was soundly defeated today.

The proposal, advanced by Queen's University, was based on a proposal to change the president's term of office from September to September, to June to June.

The Queen's delegation, mandated with the assignment of finding means of recruiting more experienced per-

sons for executive personnel of the federation, had recommended that the National President be elected at each congress, but not take office until the following June.

This would permit the president to familiarize himself with his task, explained Queen's President, Stewart Gooding. He said that this would also make it better for possible candidates to make their decision with more certainty that he would take office if elected.

At present, the president is elected at the annual congress and takes office immediately prior to the conclusion of the gathering.

The motion was defeated 18 to 3.

George williams absent from nfcus conference

KINGSTON (CUP) — The 25th annual Congress of the National Federation of Canadian University Students was called on today to unanimously support a call for a distinctive Canadian flag and anthem.

Andre Ouelette, of the University of Sherbrooke, moved that 'O Canada' in both English and French versions be accepted as the national an-

them.

He also called for a red and white flag, with a green maple leaf in the centre, to be unanimously approved as the Canadian flag.

Mr. Ouelette explained that he wished more for the congress to accept unanimously any flag, rather than reject all proposals.

No decision was taken, but the issue is expected to be raised later in the congress sessions.

Fund raising projects To reduce nfcus deficits

KINGSTON (CUP) — Budgeting to break even as well as to reduce its accumulated surplus by more than \$1,000 NFCUS has formulated a crash campaign to wipe out the remaining deficit of approximately \$7,600.

The delegates to the annual congress here voted "to undertake certain projects of a fund raising nature," and give half the profits to the national secretariat. The other half will be used locally.

FUTURE THREATENED

Queen's NFCUS chairman Robbie Shaw proposed the resolution and told the delegates that unless some step is taken soon, "to provide adequate funds for the implementation of policy and carrying out of some plan of action the very future of the federation may be threatened."

In the last few years as the federation has continued to expand its activities it has become increasingly difficult for it to stay in the black. Since student sources pay only 50 per cent of the total expenditure, NFCUS must devote a good proportion of its energies to finding funds from outside sources to administer projects voted for at the national congress.

Supporting the plan for local action outgoing president Bruce Rawson declared that, "After 35 years, this may be one of the solutions to our financial problems."

FEES BOOSTED

In spite of the present financial situation of the federation no one suggested that it close its doors. Instead they supported the Shaw resolution and unanimously passed a motion recommending a voluntary fee increase.

The per capita fees from each

member university are paid on a sliding scale based on student population. At present the average payment for each student for all NFCUS services is 41 cents. Under the proposed fee increase this would be raised by 27.7 per cent.

Each area of federation activity came under close scrutiny in an attempt to get rid of last year's accumulated deficit of \$8,876.34 and break even this year.

BUDGET SLASHED

To do so the congress drastically pared the proposed expenditure from \$7,300 in excess of revenue—which would have allowed most of the federation's projects to be carried through to a \$776 expenditure over income.

However, the proposed revenue from per capita levy is based on enrolment figures of one year ago and therefore the actual fees collected this year will be higher, allowing the federation to break even on the year and reduce the accumulated deficit to approximately \$7,600.

Budgeted expenditures include: congress travel, \$6,000; travel information service, \$2,000; administration, \$17,197; executive expenses, salary, and travel \$12,542.

Fifth nfcus seminar bilingual

KINGSTON (CUP) — Delegates to the NFCUS Congress supported a resolution to increase emphasis on the bilingual character of the forthcoming Fifth National Seminar, although its exact location and theme have not yet been determined.

Laval University (Quebec City) proposed that one of the two co-directors of the seminar be French-speaking, and special attention be given to a balanced choice of speakers in both French

and English, as well as to the technical means of simultaneous translation.

A further shift in emphasis, with regard to the method of selecting delegates to the seminar, was also approved.

The University of Toronto, advocating a reduction in the duplication of delegates to the federation's congresses and its seminars, put forward a resolution that selection committees should give priority to the following qualifications: interest in the theme of the Seminar, academic standing, and participation in student

activities.

The Congress passed another Toronto resolution calling for a concentrated effort on the part of local NFCUS committees to encourage a greater number of qualified students to apply for participation in the national Seminar.

Selection committees on the local level are to be composed of five members, two of whom are faculty representatives and three students, including the NFCUS chairman. The signatures of both faculty members will be required on application forms.

J. f. ledly - nfcus prexy

KINGSTON (CUP) — Dr. J. F. Leddy, vice-president and dean of arts, University of Saskatchewan, has accepted the post of honorary president of the National Federation of Canadian University Students. Dr. Leddy, who is also chairman of the Canadian UNESCO Commission,

has been a staunch supporter of student activities for many years. In accepting the honorary presidency, Dr. Leddy said he was honored and enthused by his election, and he hoped that the members of the federation would continue to act with unified purpose.