



ACADEMIC COMMISSIONER

Duties:

1. Assists faculty associations and departmental clubs
2. Develops academic policy proposals
3. Assists the Vice-President (Academic)
4. Works on issues such as Student Instructor evaluation, student representation, etc.

Reports to Vice-President (Academic) and the Executive Committee

Length of Appointment: to 31 March 1980

Honorarium: \$100 per month

For applications and/or information, contact Dean Olmstead, President, 259 Students' Union Building, phone 432-4236.

Application Deadline: Friday, Oct. 26, 4 PM

Up against the wall

by Ralph Ellison

Only one student made it as far as the semi-finals in the first handball tournament of the year, held last weekend on the U of A courts. Vic Adamowicz (Agriculture) put up a good fight before losing to Maurice Legris

(Faculty) by 21-16, 18-21 and 11-8. In the other semi-final Roger Klemm (Research Council) defeated the much-improved Maurice Dusseault (Faculty) 21-13 and 21-10. Klemm then won the championship, in a long, hard-fought struggle with Legris, by scores of 21-17 and 21-19.

Southern ball

by Bill Ruzycki

The Golden Bears rugby club suffered the hardest losses of their season on a recent California tour.

On October 6 the Bears played against a powerful Palo Alto side operating out of Stanford University, and lost captain Rob Poole. They also lost the game in a closely fought 16-10 match. Despite a bad pass that was intercepted, the Bear forwards controlled most of the game and fought until the final minute. The Palo Alto squad owed their win to the unequalled speed of Tim O'Brian. O'Brian is a center who will no doubt find himself on the US side next year.

The untimely loss of Poole, who broke his nose in the second

half, figured strongly in the loss. Poole usually accounts for half of the Bear's points.

The second game on October 7 saw the Bears in San Jose for a televised match against a large and experienced Old Timers select team. Once again the Bears did a commendable job, considering the size and experience difference. At no point during the 21-16 match were the Bears out of the fight. Questionable passes by the old Timers, thought by some to be illegal, spelled the difference.

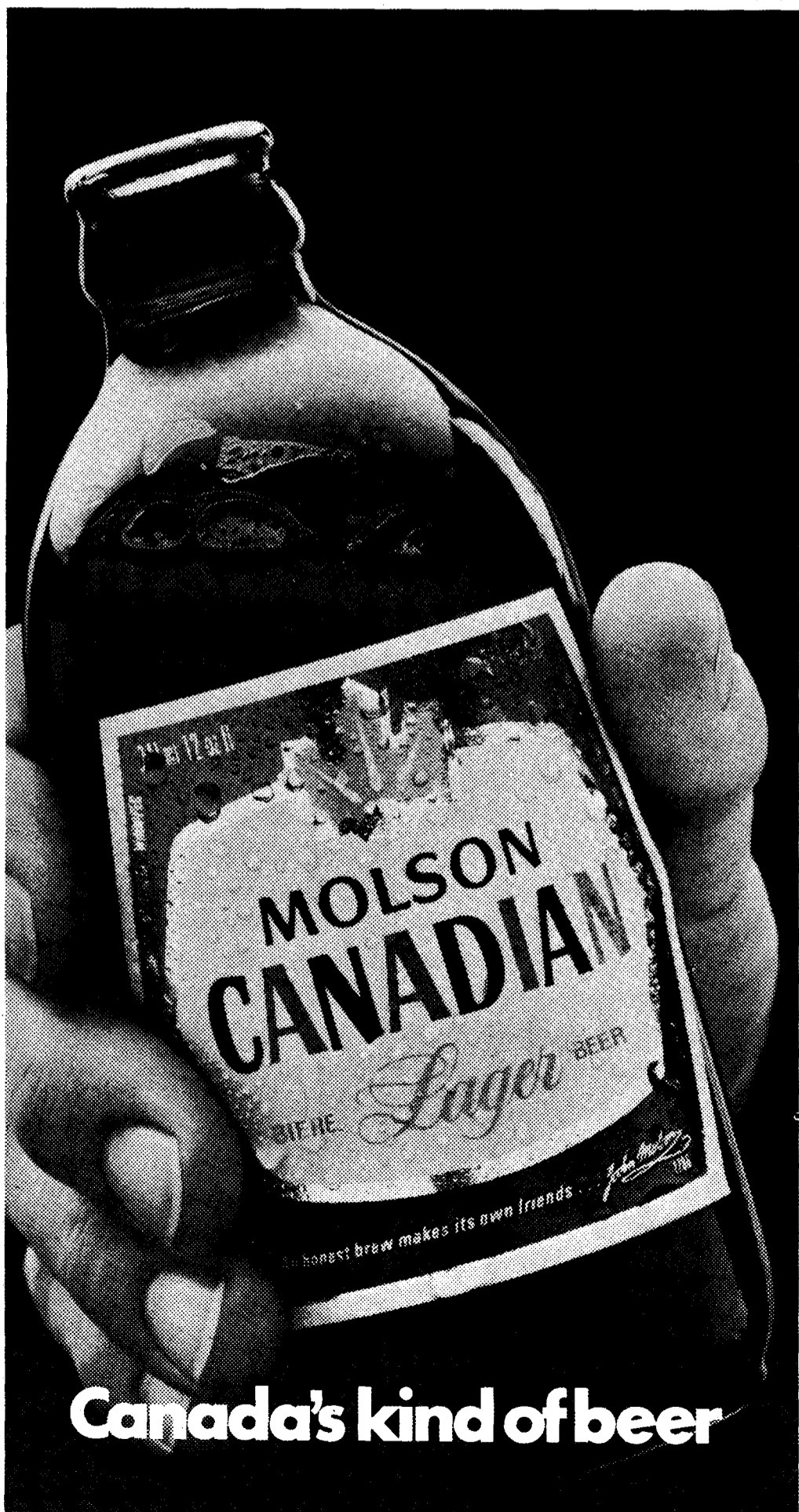
The game ended the Bear's rugby season. Al Hancock was chosen as the tour's most valuable player. Hancock's work as a wing forward was impressive, swift and his tackling sure. Team turkey was Mark Weller, whose perfect pass to the opposing center got the team off to an unexpected start. However, his play in the remainder of the matches more than made up for the error.

Students did well in the consolation round, however, with Andre Legris (Arts) defeating John Murray (Alumni) by 21-19, 17-21, and 11-8. Legris had to play nine games during the day, and was thoroughly exhausted at the end; so were Don Scafe (Research Council) and Larry Flanagan (Science), who, in their first-round match, too nearly one and one-half hours to play three games. Scafe eventually won.

Four-wall handball, a centuries-old game which is the ancestor of racketball, is much more difficult to learn and play than its young counterpart; this undoubtedly explains why it is less popular than the racket sport. Nevertheless, there is a strong, and growing, number of fanatics who swear by (and often at) handball.

On campus they get their chance to compete in a weekly tournament, beginning Sunday, Oct. 21, from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m. All U of A students, faculty, and staff (and alumni who hold a privilege card) are welcomed. So are beginners and novices as well as more advanced players. Women will be especially welcomed.

This weekly tournament is run very simply: whoever walks through the door ready to play is matched against the next person who walks through the door.



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- monthly reports to policy board
- year-end report of the programme's activities and status
- purchasing, communications, and procurement of office space and supplies
- Chairman, Orientation Advisory Board
- allocation of miscellaneous duties (as per By-law 5)
- is responsible for the suspension of any and all seminars in progress that are not being conducted in the best interests of the delegates and the programme
- general administration of the F.O.S. programme

Term: one year starting from the date of appointment

Salary: presently under review

Please submit a letter of application and a detailed resume to Speaker, FOS Policy Board. Attention: Selection Committee. Room 278, SUB, U of A T6G 2J7. Phone: 432-5319. Closing date for submissions is Nov. 2, 1979, by 4:30 PM.

P.S. The director for 1979 is available for consultation