Babysitters, Lounges, Eateries & And Coffee Parties

As in past years, various services are being provided for the benefit of campus visitors during Varsity Guest Weekend. There will be teas, for refreshment; open cafeterias, for re-energizing; and a baby-sitting service, for freedom. Teas and coffee-parties are free, as is the baby-sitting service.

There will be two coffee-parties in the morning of Saturday 25. The nurses are serving coffee from 10 to 11:30 a.m. in the Nurses' Residence. The Pan-Hellenic Society will be offering coffee in the Wauneita Lounge on the third floor of the SUB from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

In the afternoon guests have a choice between two teas and a hot chocolate party. The hot chocolate will be served in the Education lounge in the Education building at the south end of the campus from 2 to 4 p.m. The nurses will serve one of the teas, from 2 to 4 p.m. in the Nurses' Residence. The Wauneita Society will be serving tea in the Wauneita Lounge from 2:30 to 5 p.m.

Some of the campus cafeterias will serve hot meals on Saturday the 25th for the convenience of visitors. The University Cafeteria, will be open from 7:45 a.m. to 3 p.m. A hot meal will be served at noon.

SUB Cafeteria will be open all day, from 9 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Light lunches only will be served. The Education Cafeteria in the Education Building will close about 1:30 p.m.; a hot meal will be served at noon.

To enable visitors to rest their feet after tramping through miles of displays, two lounges will be available. The Williard G. Pybus Lounge, in the Students' Union Building (SUB), and the lounge on the second floor of the Education building, will both be open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

The baby-sitting service will be provided as in past years by a staff of competent nurses. The nursery will be in the Faculty Lounge on the third floor of SUB. The baby sitters will be sitting from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Refreshments will be served to the children, and toys and furniture will be provided by the University Hospital.

Banquet Leads Off VGW

Varsity Guest Weekend will open on Thursday, Feb. 23 with an Appreciation Banquet in the Jubilee Auditorium. This banquet, sponsored by the Students' Union and the Gold Key society, honors members of the Civic and Parliamentary governments for the support they have given to the University of Alberta.

A reception at 5:30 p.m. will precede the banquet at which each of the student hosts will be introduced to his two guests. These hosts will be members of Gold Key, the executive of the Students' Council, and the presidents of various clubs on campus.

Three hundred guests will be invited to this reception and banquet. They will be entertained after the dinner by the opening performance of the Varsity Varieties show, "Not With A Bang".

The Appreciation Banquet is really a combination of two that have been held by the University in past years, the Parliamentry Dinner, and the Civic Banquet. The Parliamentary Dinner has been held on the first day of VGW for several years to entertain members of the Alberta Legislative Assembly. Last year's Civic reception, which was held to honor officials of the City of Edmontion, opened Homecoming Weekend on Oct. 22.

Those favoring the combination felt the "Varsity Varieties" show would prove more entertaining to their "Civic" guests. They have previously been entertained by campus club officials who explained the activities of their various groups, and special numbers prepared by the Jubilaires and Mixed Chorus.

The name "Appreciation Banquet" was chosen by the Students' Council from three suggested by the Gold Key society. Such a name, it was felt, did not favor one group of invited guests above the other.

TOURS

A new feature at this year's Varsity Guest Weekend will be tours of the displays.

Each building containing displays will have two or three students available for guiding the visitors. The main purpose is to give the visitor an idea of the location of the various displays, their complexity, and their interest for the visitor so that the guest may plan a more effective use of his time. Guides will be available at every registration booth, as will be information of the locations of the various display areas.

A further innovation this year is the tour bus. The VGW committee has been able to secure the services of a glass topped touring bus of the type familiar in resort towns. A guide will provide information.

The bus will double as a transit system: at every building it will stop to pick up and discharge passengers.

To enable future students of Agriculture and others interested to view the University Farm, the bus will make a trip to the farm at 11:00 a.m. Saturday. Starting point will be the Agriculture Building situated at the north end of the campus.

It should be pointed out that the services of the bus are free, its cost being borne by the budget of the VGW Committee, which organizes the Weekend.

Information, guides and literature of all kinds will be available at the registration booths in each major building. Their purpose is to obtain a record of visitors, as a guide to future planning of the Weekend. Registration is free. Every guest will receive a big yellow and green lapel button, identifying him as a guest.

Along with the registration tag, each guest will receive a handbook containing a list of the displays, their locations, and times of all events scheduled. The handbook will be in the style of a greeting card; when opened out completely, a map of the campus on the inside will enable the visitor to orient himself.

VGW Schedule

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23:

5:30 p.m.—President's Reception—Jubilee Auditorium
6:15 p.m.—"Appreciation Banquet"—Jubilee Auditorium
8:15 p.m.—Varsity Varieties—Jubilee Auditorium

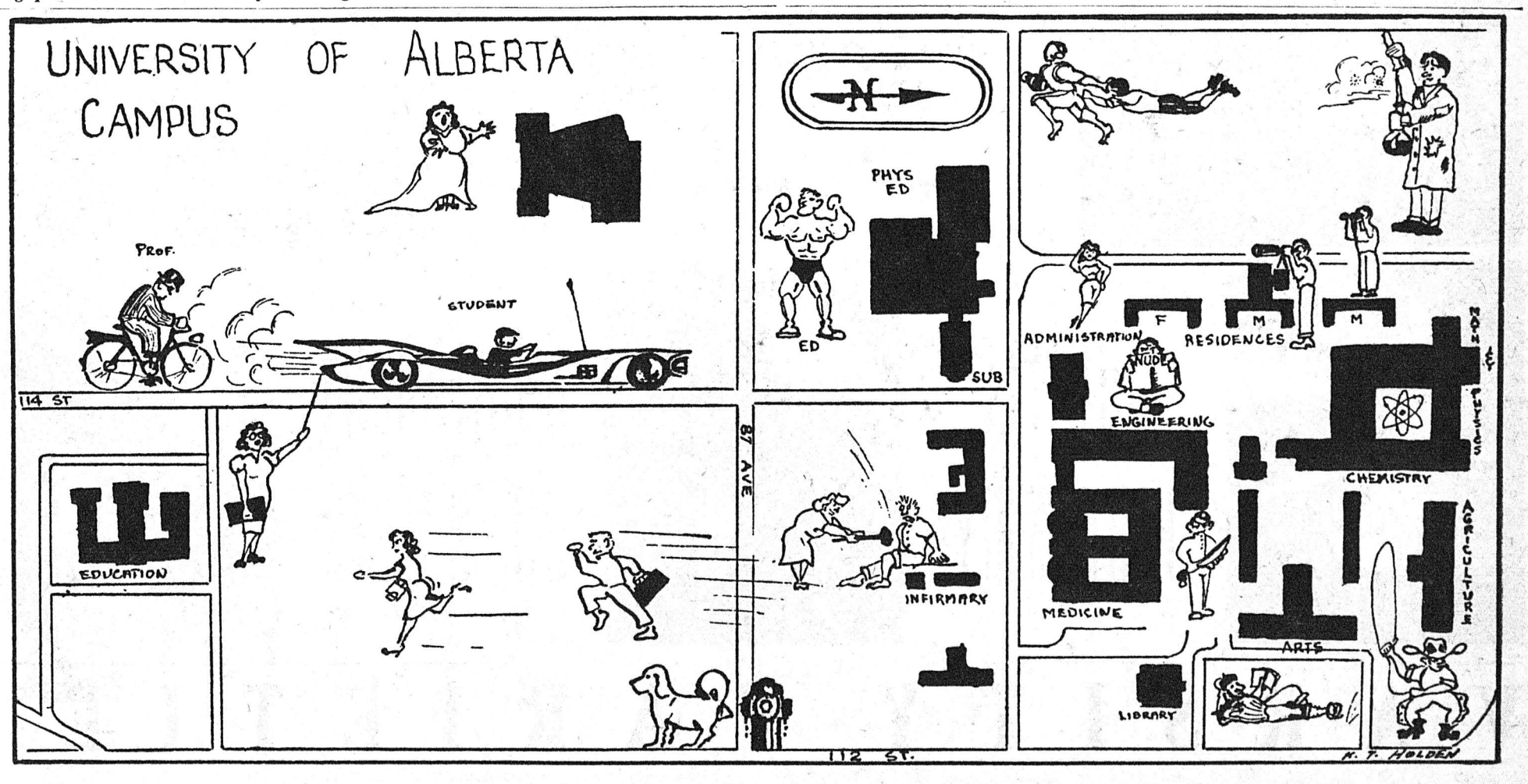
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24:

2:00 p.m.- 5:00 p.m.—Registration in Students' Union Building
7:30 p.m.-10:00 p.m.—Chuck Wagon Races—Varsity Rink
8:15 p.m.—Varsity Varieties—Jubilee Auditorium
8:15 p.m.—Studio Theatre "Merchant of Venice"—Education Building Auditorium
10:00 p.m.- 1:00 a.m.—Moccasin Dance—Varsity Rink

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25:

9:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m.—Registration in all major buildings on campus
9:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m.—Displays in all major buildings on campus
9:00 a.m.- 6:30 p.m.—Light Lunches—University Cafeteria and SUB Snack Bar
9:00 a.m.- 6:00 p.m.—Nursery—Faculty Lounge, Students' Union Building
9:00 a.m.- 6:00 p.m.—Lounges open in Students' Union Building and Education Building
10:00 a.m.-12:00 noon—Panhellenic Society Coffee Party—Wauneita Lounge
10:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m.—Macleod Club Coffee Party—Nurses' Residence
12:00 noon—Hot meals served in University Cafeteria and Education Building Cafeteria
12:30 p.m.- 1:30 p.m.—Oxford Style Debates—Students' Union Building
1:30 p.m.—Symphony - Mixed Chorus Concert—Convocation Hall
2:00 p.m.- 4:00 p.m.—Hot Chocolate Party—Education Cafeteria
2:00 p.m.—Shevchenko Society Presentation—Rutherford Library
2:00 p.m.- 4:00 p.m.—Macleod Club Tea—Nurses' Residence
2:00 p.m.- 4:00 p.m.—Judging of Ice Figurines
2:30 p.m.- 5.00 p.m.—Wauneita Society Tea—Wauneita Lounge
3:15 p.m.—Ballet Club Concert—Convocation Hall
8:15 p.m.—Varisty Varieties—Jubilee Auditorium
8:15 p.m.—Studio Theatre "Merchant of Venice"—Education Building Auditorium
9:00 p.m.—"Ivy League Ball"—Physical Education Building

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26:

3:00 p.m.—Musical Club Concert—Convocation Hall

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