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Forum Passes Point System

Last Thursday over 100 students attended the first of three Student Forms scheduled for this year, and approved the revised point system.

The Forum was chaired by Ken Mounce. Pat Walsh the new chairman of WUSC, spoke about the purpose of this organization.

Graham Mitchell, chairman of the Awards Committee, presented the report of the committee and explained that the revised point system was basically the same one that had been voted down last year, but that a few minor changes had been incorporated as a result of consultation with the heads of various organizations.

The new point system will provide for a more even distribution of points and a motion that report of the Awards Committee be adopted was passed by the required two-thirds majority of those present.

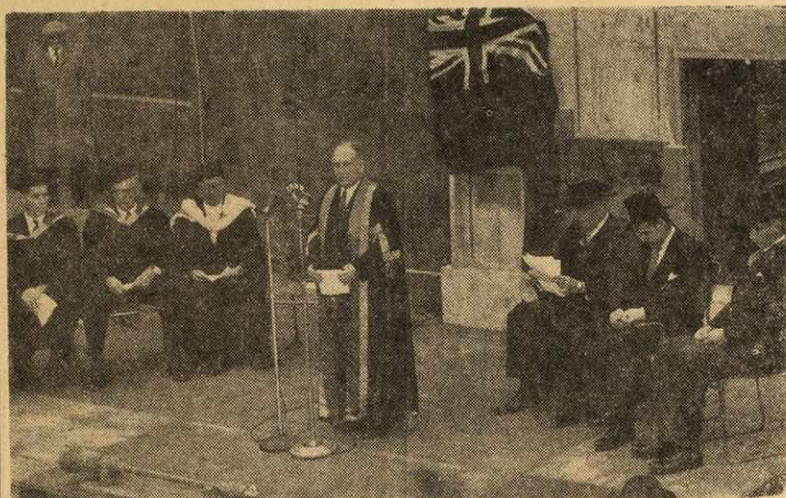
Patty MacLeod the chairman of the Blood Drive Committee, expressed the hope that all students would support the Blood Drive which is being held later this month.

Several announcements were made concerning the beginning of skating sessions, the organization of the new Campus Co-ordinating Committee, the coming meeting of WUSC, and the new library hours.

A few hectic moments followed when the meeting was open to discussion from the floor. A first year Law student, Alade Akesode asked a question about the Council's stand on student apathy towards international affairs. The question was ruled out of order.

In reply to Alade's question, Ken Mounce said: "the students at Dalhousie are not apathetic about the present International situation. I believe most students are quite concerned with the present crisis. However, since the Council is an administrative body, rather than a political discussion group, I feel that such discussion is out of order."

Much discussion and confusion ensued and a motion was made challenging the ruling of the



Dr. A. E. Kerr is shown above as he speaks at the Convocation held at Carleton Campus last week, when the cornerstone of the new Dental Building was laid. (Photo by Thomas.)

Dalhousie Looks To Future; Cornerstone Laid Friday

by JIM CARSON

On Friday afternoon, in the shadow of Dalhousie's oldest building, the cornerstone of its newest was officially laid by the Honourable Alistair Fraser, Lieut-Governor of Nova Scotia, who said "With profound pride in Dalhousie's past and present accomplishment I declare that here has been well and truly laid a stone to be the cornerstone of a fine new building dedicated to the health and welfare of our people. Into this structure will go our best wishes, our hopes of the future and our sure faith that these hopes will be abundantly realized."

chair. However, it failed to get the two-third majority required in such a situation and was defeated. The meeting then adjourned.

Following the Forum Alade Akesode issued the following statement: "We, as a students' body, should rejoice that we have such great men as Ken Mounce and his legal advisers, to protect our thoughts and minds from being committed and infected, one way or another, by the unhealthy state of world affairs, at this moment, when Britain and France may be asking the U.N. to write its last will and testament. We are told that giving money through WUSC is all we should do in regards to the uncertain life of the students in Hungary, East Germany, Scotland, Britain and in the Arab World. Indeed Dalhousie may yet produce a greater Nero of Rome."

The ceremony began as the official party and academic procession made its way from the Forrest building to the strains of the HMCS Stadacona band. Following the prayer of Invocation by the Rev. D. M. Sinclair, the introduction address was delivered by the university president in which Dr. Kerr traced the growth and development of the faculty, noting the present state of the school and its plans and hopes for the future. The importance of the new school was emphasized as he said "the enterprise that has brought us together as one of importance to these Atlantic Provinces, for it has to do with one aspect of our attempt to shape men and women and little children needless pain and to further their general well being."

In a brief address Brig. H. V. D. Laing, chairman of the Board of Governors noted the place of the new Dental School in the present university expansion program. He then presented J. Philip Dumaresq, the architect of the new building, with a sealed box containing a Bible, the first calendar of the Dental School, a present university calendar, and other pertinent documents. This was placed in the wall behind the cornerstone.

Dr. Kenneth M. Johnson, Winnipeg, president of the Canadian Dental Association delivered the main address of the afternoon, mentioning the great opportunities facing the new students, their duties and responsibilities to society. Earlier in the day Dr. Johnson gave an inspiring address to the student body in which he cited the essential requisite for a successful and useful practice.

Engineers Jam At Gym Friday

Come, swing your partner at the Engineers' Jamboree on Friday evening. There will be dancing and entertainment in the gym from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at this, the greatest dance on the campus outside the Engineers' Ball (so the engineers say.)

Variety is the theme of the latest dances, with a country hoe-down following the 'Tartan Twirl'. The climax of the night is the debut of the engineers' orchestra, under the direction of Mrs. Kay Scott. Another special event is the skit by these able artists in the intermission. There will be a caller for the dances, in fine Western style. No one will want to miss the grand times in store at the "Engineers' Hayloft Jamboree".

SHOP for XMAS

WUSC Treasure Van Here Hundreds Visit Gym

By BARB GERRARD

Would you like to do all your Christmas shopping in one easy pleasant trip? If you would, then drop over to the gym some time this week and see the imported treasures exhibited there.

The Treasure Van of India, an annual event sponsored by the World University Service of Canada, is being held November 6, 7, 8 and 9, in conjunction with Saint Mary's University. Under the eminent patronage of the Honourable Alistair Fraser, Lieutenant-Governor of Nova Scotia, the sale is open during both the afternoon and the evening. Serving the customers are Dal and Mount St. Vincent girls.

The Treasure Van, which resembles a glorified bazaar, is a display and sale of international handicrafts, including such items as African ivory, Indian brass and silks, Mexican jewelry, Grecian pottery, Egyptian scarves, Jordan mother of pearl, Hong Kong linens, Japanese kokeshi dolls,

Malayan lithographs and Canadian wood carvings.

The Treasure Van was originated in 1952 in an effort to create a market for the work of craftsmen in various countries. It strives to provide funds for the international relief program of WUS, scholarships, student hostels, and student medical centers; to promote trade with countries rich in handicraft skills; and to bring before the people of Canada something of the beauty of arts and crafts of other countries.

Hoping to surpass last year's success, WUSC, under the chairmanship of Pat Walsh, urges everyone to support this year's Treasure Van.

Polar Bears Break Ice

Newly formed, though yet unofficial, these Polar Bear Club made its debut one warm afternoon last week. Seven Shirreff Hall girls braved the icy waters of the North West Arm. They were Charlotte Reynolds, Lynn Morrow, Pat Stanfield, Sandy Currie, Dodie McIntosh, Joan Potter and Volda Bullens.

SAWBONES HOLD FIRST MEETING

A meeting of the Dalhousie Medical Students' Society was held in the auditorium of the Victoria General Hospital on Oct. 24, 1956 with the president Larry Travis in the chair. Several reports were heard and were accepted, after brief discussion.

Jerry Berry, senior Camsi member, reported on the recent Camsi Convention at University of Western Ontario Medical School, which he and Jim Saunders attended during the Thanksgiving weekend.

Reports from the treasure, Joe Gagnon, and Student Council representative Norris Carroll were heard.

It was moved that the executive committee look into the payment of medical fees in four years. A discussion was held concerning the paying of fees in four years rather than the present five year system, due to the difficulty of meeting expenses during the intern year after a non-earning summer. The motion was carried.

The following committees were elected for the 1956-57 semester:

- Social Committee:** Giaseer Somerville, Don MacFadgen, Bob Patten, Lalia Dauphinee.
- Sports Committee:** Don Nicholson, Jack Hodder, Bob Thompson.
- Gazette Committee:** Yale Kanter.
- Programme Committee:** Ab Sewell, John Potts.

FLASH

Professor Harold Hamer suffered a broken leg and minor injuries when he was struck by a car Tuesday night.

T.V. Taboo Tigers Dirty

Dalhousie Tigers failed to make their non-competitive television debut last week—they just didn't have a thing to wear.

A football team should look like a football team, even on the television screen . . . so when the Tigers scheduled an appearance on Thursday's Red Feather Benefit show they were supposed to appear in complete uniform.

The players sported new haircuts, shone, shaved and showered, but they never made the screen. Seems their uniforms, including pants and jerseys, were still at the drycleaners getting all polished up for Saturday's game.

Stadacona and Shearwater — oh! those navy laundries—smiled real pretty for the TV men, but Dal failed to appear. This, we say, just shouldn't be.

Somebody goofed, no?

Senior, Junior Classes Meet

The Class of '57 held its first meeting last week in the Arts Building. Officers elected for the year were Murray Fraser, president; Dodie McIntosh, vice-president; Vivian Thomson, secretary; Max Croucher, treasurer.

Plans for the activities of the class for this year were discussed. Also it was agreed that the executive should contact university officials with regard to the gift of the Graduating Class of next spring. Another meeting will be held later this month.

The Junior Class was well represented at their first meeting of the year and the following executive was chosen: President, Dave Matheson; vice-president, Carolyn Potter; secretary, Dave Shaw.

Elizabeth Dustan heads the committee for the Junior Prom which is scheduled for February 15 at the Day gym. Don Warner has already been engaged for this annual affair. The highlight of the evening will be the crowning of the Junior Queen.

Plans are underway to sell fudge at the Blood Campaign and for a canteen franchise at the Dal Revue.



Shown above are some of the performers at the Tartan Twirl held last Friday night. Left to right they are Art MacLaughlin, Jean MacPhee, Joan Herman, Sally MacPherson, Diane Sperry, and Sandy Ross. (Photo by Thomas.)

Tartans twirled while bagpipes played as a Piper led enthusiastic Dalhousians around the Dal gym last Friday night, in a Grand March. This announced the beginning of the Tartan Twirl, the novelty dance sponsored by the Arts and Science Society.

At intermission, Jean MacPhee, Diane Sperry and Joan Herman (dressed in the traditional kilts) entertained with Highland dancing to the accompaniment of Sally MacPherson who played the pipes. The success of the dance can be attributed to the dance committee under the able chairmanship of Jim Goring. Chaperons present at the dance were Dr. and Mrs. Chute.