



The Midway:

Speaking of books—a translation. Added to the list of English translations of foreign works recently was Alessandro Manzoni's "The Betrothed".

Speaking of Poe and hot on the trail of that author's spine-chilling short stories comes Hollywood's "The Man With a Cloak".

Miscellany:

From Rome, Italy, comes news that Esquire magazines scantily clad calendar girls are "offensive to the public decency but not obscene."

South of the border, Los Angeles way comes the sad, sad tale of the high school students who, when examined on general knowledge couldn't tell time by a cardboard clock.

The Muse:

From the nonsense of Edmund Sneer—lines.

When we met I thought I'd find The sweetest love song that could sound.

All Our Yesterdays:

Reminiscent of the era of the roaring 20's and the publicity hounded story of Floyd Collins, schoolboy lost in a Georgia cave is that of Captain Kurt Carlsen, master of the Flying Enterprise.

Wax Tracks:

Abominable though it is to many there are gems to be found in the fashionable shunned Western Hit Parade.

The Tiger Smiles:

Entertained Sunday afternoon at the Men's Residence were an effervescent young bevy of young high school girls by the worldly gentlemen of the residence.

Engaged: Active over the New Year's season was the babe Cupid the result of whose arrows were four sparkling gems.

Mary Lou Sutherland, of past basketball fame to an engineer now of Montreal.

Betty Corkum, whose Pi Rho Sigma pin was exchanged for a ring. Also in the same halycon category is one Katherine Auld of the isle of Prince Edward.

And a certain young Halifax beauty, name of Marg Riley to a King's man, name of Craig.

Married: Over the festive season one John Howard Doherty, English student supreme to June Marline MacLaughlin, formerly a resident of Shirreff Hall.

Welching also on the munificence of Cupid Dr. Louise Thompson, professor of Psychology married up with (for purportedly non-psychiatric reasons) William Willard Welch.

Separated: Tall glamorous El McLanders and Gordie McCoy.

Happy once more one John Nichols with the return to the port city of cherub Kiki, fresh from the Ottawa ski hills.

In conclusion here the wisdom of the following proverbs, and try to reconcile them if you can.

- "Great minds run in the same channel". and "Fools think alike". "God helps him who helps himself". and "Thou shalt not steal". "Seek and ye shall find". and "Curiosity killed the cat".

Introducing . . . JOHAN KOPPERNAES



One of the most interesting foreign students at Dalhousie this year is Johan DeVold Koppernaes of Aalesund, in the western part of Norway.

Describing Canada as "a good place to stay", Johan hopes to travel extensively, especially to British Columbia.

Swirling Justice

The snow swirled noiselessly on big window, creating designs of freezing beauty, a lingering creation of Nature for the heavy rubber, ice-coated blade quickly erased the stormy pattern as it swathed to and fro across the large windshield.

"Because it is a free country and it seems to give everybody who tries an equal chance". He feels that it is far easier to get ahead here than in his native land.

Blonde, tall, blue-eyed Johan likes all sports, especially swimming, badminton and sailing. In the latter activity he is especially experienced.

This sunny tempered Scandinavian admits to few "pet hates", but says that he dislikes bureaucracy and (this is hardly surprising) radio commercials.

Although his future plans are indefinite, as his permit may not be extended, Johan hopes to complete his course at Dalhousie.

Palingenesis

Oh earth whose Beauty lies in dust, Leave not your Arts to rot and rust Like a second-hand car or an old crossbar.

SAM MARGOLIAN

*And now doth vanquish



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derision, seemingly intent on venting its full fury on this Man made creature, the screaming wind smothered the steady purr of the grotesque Greyhound.

"Damn college kids", he muttered as the picture was mirrored in his rear view glass. "Damn snow." With his gloved hand he removed some of the steaminess off the glass and glanced again at the interior.

"Irma is like that. Same eyes almost. Little bigger. Bumps out in more comfortable places. First night we met I was stewed like that guy. Bus drivers convention. Hell, nothing more than a rum-dums riot, that was.

The bus slithered on through the snow, skirting the drifts of plowed snow, and bulking through the still small piles of the fresh windblown. "Damn snow." He opened the door and went out to clear the everforming ice from the wiper.

"Don't want to get stuck here. Hell, no!" He jumped back startled by the view in his mirror, blasting the horn in his fright.

It was only the blonde girl settling herself, as her friend nudged in beside her. Angrily he jolted the bus in starting. "Pleasure crowd. Not students. Fast times—fast, fast, just so long it's fast, it's O.K."

Hidden in the inner folds of his wallet they found it. A torn, crumpled clipping—: "Irma Dodge, 22, was killed yesterday in the collision of a roadster and her automobile. The occupants of the roadster, returning from a college dance are being held—"

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