

NEWS BRIEFS

Big news around the campus is the Gazette-sponsored masquerade dance scheduled for the gym on October 29th. A howling success in other years, the Hallowe'en effort gives everyone a chance to dress up or undress.

Can it be a sign of the times that registration in Elementary Russian has gone up to seven times what it was last year? Dr. Griffin welcomed exactly seven students last week.

The Journal of Queen's University tells that Elizabeth Evans, for two years director of women's athletics at Dal has taken over inter-collegiate coaching for women at the Kingston institution.

The not-very-automatic scoreboard now reposing gracefully atop the rink for the benefit of football fans was the gift of the Class of '54.

Nancy Wickwire, last year Feature Editor of the Gazette, is now studying at the Sorbonne in Paris, a scholarship guest of the French government.

Presidents, secretaries, and other interested officers of campus societies are asked to note the appearance on this page of a Bulletin Board which will be a regularly weekly feature. You wanted it, we got it; now let's see it used. Deadline Thursday noon.

Anyone interested in running around the campus in search of points for a silver D, or any other reward possible, is asked to see the editor. A circulation manager is required for the Gazette.

Those people now frequenting the usually uninhabited third floor of the Arts Building are education students. Seems that the class, numbering seventeen, is the biggest in the departments history. Government assistance, you know.

Returning students who braved the mob in the canteen and plunked down a nickel for a cup of coffee were greeted by stony stares and demands for a dime. Seems that while the wholesale price of coffee went down over the summer, Dal's canteen, always contrary to the times, doubled the retail value. What's more, it's no better that it used to be.

Speaking of prices, the Carswell Co., which honours Law students with free diaries also honours them with lower prices on some texts than the Law office, which purportedly sells them at cost.

Relations between Studley and Forrest may be improving. The Gazette is negotiating with the Med Society for the appointment of two reporters to cover newsworthy events in the hinterland down University Ave.

King's College didn't let its upper classmen down. Frosh there still wore the traditional gown to classes, and were distinguishable by something other than blank looks on their faces.

Students have been advised by university officials to have fall and winter coats well marked before leaving them in coat rooms. No mention was made of long winter underwear.

Anyone who was around the university four years ago, and there are still some who were, will recognize the column reappearing on

page five of this issue. The Diary of Sam Peeps was a very popular feature 'til Sam got bumped off in 1951. The ghost has arisen.

Foreign students, that is those from outside Nova Scotia, are heartily welcomed to the campus. Any of the plutocrats who have cars might take warning from some of the unlucky ones who have already received tickets from our Halifax guardians of the peace and get Nova Scotia license plates in a hurry.

Male students at the University of King's College, to give the official title of the junior partner, elected their Students' Council last week. Senior boy is Al O'Brien; secretary, Bill Caines; and John Cooke handle the finances. Class reps are Dave Peel, graduates; Russ Hatton, seniors; Dave Hart, juniors; and Gilbert Berringer, sophs. Frosh get theirs next month.

Political activity in the illustrious halls should begin to expand, if the wishes of Ken Pryke have any effect. He wants to start, of all things, a C.C.F. club. Perhaps this will wake up long sleeping P.C.'s and Liberals. Any socialist supporters are invited to call Ken at 2-3862.

Positions Open

Vic Burstall, president of the Students' Council, has announced that two important campus positions are still available. Applications will be received by the secretary-treasurer of the Council of Students for manager of the Dalhousie Rink Canteen, an appointment that carries with it a salary of \$100.00 plus ten per cent of the net profits from the operation of the canteen, and for the Campus Publicity Director, with a salary of \$50.00 and 50 points.

Applications for these positions must be submitted before October 20th, and should be addressed to Mr. J. Bernal Sawyer, 14 Bellevue Ave., the permanent secretary-treasurer of the Council.

What Council Did Last Week

Passed special D.A.A.C. budget for Thanksgiving football games, and authorized filming of two games.

Urged business managers of Gazette and Pharos to collect all accounts receivable, and authorized secretary-treasurer to look into investment of money from a matured bond.

Decided to ask for applications for the position of publicity director.

Appointed Vice President Sally Roper as the Alumni Relations Committee.

Set the date of the Council Dance for Friday, Jan. 7th, 1955.

Set aside a plea from NFCUS to raise the dues from 20c per student to 50c, and suggested that Dennis Madden, Dal representative to the Toronto conference, tell the conference that before raising fees, Dal wanted to see its twenty cents worth.

Recommended that W.U.S.C. and the Rink Rats co-operate in this year's revue with D.G.D.S.

Recommended that Gazettes be placed in the Medical Common Room and the basement of the Victoria General Hospital.

S.C.M. Holds President Kerr Dance, Talks Greet Frosh

(This column will report weekly on the activities of religious organizations on the Dalhousie and King's campuses. The editors hope that presidents of all such organizations will avail themselves of this opportunity. All contributions of reasonable length will be published.)

The program of the Dalhousie S.C.M. started Thursday evening, October 7, when a successful square dance was held in the West Common Room of the Men's Residence. About forty freshmen turned out to the social evening and were introduced to the work and program of the Student Christian Movement of Canada by Rilda Harris, president of the Dalhousie group. Refreshments and a sing-song rounded out the evening.

Miss Harris' brief talk was centered on the purpose of the Movement's existence, a six-fold emphasis. First, through bible study and discussion of historical and current thought, the S.C.M. exists as a community of students who challenge themselves and the whole university community with the claim of Christianity. Second, they seek through worship, and fellowship to deepen the commitment of Christian students to their faith. Third, through open membership and open discussion, they seek to study and resolve agnostic and atheistic objections to Christian belief. Fourth, they help students to relate their faith both to their studies and, through work experience in industry, government and mental health, to the needs and problems of the world. Fifth, the S.C.M. exists to promote understanding among members of different church traditions. And sixth, through an integrated program of work, study, worship, and fellowship they foster sound personal relationships among students and a sense of Christian vocation in their future professions.

The S.C.M. office is located on the ground floor of the Men's Residence. There is a very small library and the office is open at all times.

Co-ordinator Asks Co-operation

"All organizations wishing to use the gymnasium must ask me first", says Larry Doane, chairman of the Council's Campus Co-ordination Committee. He goes on to explain that, in order to avoid conflicts in student activities, especially dances, a gym schedule will be worked out and printed in the Gazette in the near future.

The Co-ordination Committee has the final say on all dates proposed by any campus organization for their activities. In the past it has been very successful. Organizations that hold their dances off the campus also fall under its jurisdiction, and requests for dates should be submitted soon. "It's not a dictatorship, just a big help", says Larry. He can be reached for information by phoning 3-3678.

From another direction comes word that all student organizations or groups wishing to use any room in the university for meeting purposes are reminded that permission must first be obtained from the Office of the Engineer in Charge of Buildings and Grounds, at least 24 hours before the meeting is to be held. The telephone number is 3-7618.

President Kerr Greet Frosh

New students of Dalhousie University were officially welcomed by the President, Dr. A. E. Kerr, at a special convocation held in the Arts and Administration Building last Tuesday.

Flanked by members of the senate in academic dress, the meeting opened with the singing of "From Ocean Unto Oceana", which has special connection with Dalhousie because it was written in the Murray Homestead. That is the present site of the Arts and Administration Building. Rev. H. L. Puxley then led the group in prayer.

Dr. Kerr presented several new members of the faculty and the new president of the University of King's College, Rev. H. L. Puxley. New members of the faculty introduced to the students were Prof. Antonio Lopez, a graduate of Madrid, who will teach Spanish; Prof. Kraft-Eberhard von Maltzahn, Cologne and Yale, Botany; Prof. Donald A. Machum, Acadia, Dalhousie and Harvard, law; Prof. Kenneth F. Girard, Siena College and McGill, bacteriology; Prof. F. W. Knowles, Queensland, anatomy; and Prof. Albert Sinclair, Dalhousie, anatomy.

Dr. C. B. Stewart and Dr. J. D. McLean, who have been appointed Deans of Medicine and Dentistry respectively, were also welcomed.

Dr. Kerr addressed the new students. He stated in previous years it had been customary to have the welcoming of new students and the Fall graduation on the same day; however, this year, for the first time, a full meeting has been given over for the reception of the freshmen and freshettes. Dr. Kerr advised the a full life only if they were healthful students that they could have. In order to attain a full life, piety should be sought first. After

BULLETIN BOARD

- Thursday, October 14
 - Radio Committee meeting, West Common Room, Men's Residence, 12 noon.
 - "Yeomen of the Guard" Chorus Rehearsal, 21 Arts, 7.00 p.m.
- Friday, October 15
 - Med Society Cadaver's Caper, Seagull Club, 9-1.
 - King's Freshie-Soph Dance, King's, 9-1.
 - M.I.D.L. Conference, King's, all day.
- Saturday, October 16
 - Tigers vs Stadacona, Wanderers, 2.30 p.m.
 - M.I.D.L. Conference, King's, all day
- Sunday, October 17
 - Only fifty-eight days till exams.
- Monday, October 18
 - Casting I.U.D.F. one-act play, West Common Room, Men's Residence, 7.00 p.m.
- Tuesday, October 19
 - Arts and Science Meeting, 234 Arts, 12.00 noon.

that one should develop a desire for culture not only to be used when necessary in college but to be put to use all during future life. Last, but not least, recreation and vood social training are to be gained from a college life.

Reverend H. L. Puxley proposed the Benediction. Dr. Kerr, Reverend Puxley, and the members of the faculty paraded out while the students remained standing. Thus ended a very successful and well attended meeting for the reception of the new students.

Notice

Notices have been posted concerning the I.O.D.E. Postgraduate Scholarships for Overseas, and application forms are available at the Registrar's Office. These scholarships are extremely worthwhile, and deserve the attention of any students graduating this year who are thinking of overseas studies.



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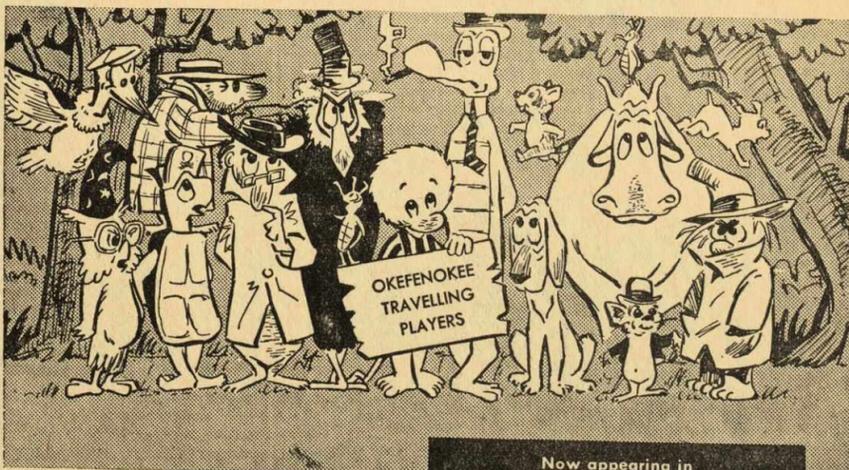
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