Religious university opposed

University chaplains are opposed to the plan to make Alberta's fourth university "interdenomina-

Rev. C. T. Wilkinson, of Garneau United Church, wrote against the establishment of a religious university in the Journal for Dissent,

Rev. Wilkinson claims a religious university would promote "poor scholarship and be a misuse of taxpayers' money."
"The United Church has been

turning its schools over to secular administrators to raise standards,' said Rev. Wilkinson. He advocates the study of religion in secular universities on an academic basis,

"Perhaps the university tends to react in a negative way to the religious convictions of our cabinet

members," he said. "No one is quite sure what the province has in mind in the plans for the new university," said Rev. Murdith McLean, Anglican chaplain for the campus. He said he is "much opposed to the idea of an introduce in the campus of the said he is "much opposed to the idea of an introduce in the campus." interdenominational university". SECULAR CAMPUS

"Religious studies are best approached on the secular campus," said Rev. Barry Moore, United Church chaplain. "Departments of religious studies are growing in popularity on other campuses.

Pastor H. J. Keil, Lutheran chaplain said, "If religion is to be taught in the new university, I'm not sure an interdenominational organization can administer the job properly.

He said the new campus should be provided with an "academically-stimulating department of religion. I'm afraid this (new university) may be a protective thing. If religion is a worthwhile discipline let's be open about it."

"The university bases its pur-suits on reason and the elements of faith are in another dimension," said Rev. R. A. Pendergast, Catho-

ic chaplain. "What we do need is a department of theology whose studies would range wider than Christian-It would, of course, include



-Ken Hutchinson photo WHERE AM I? - This cheerful young man was one of the many campus stalwarts who attended the Wauneita

Lethbridge

Formal.

is that of a "glorified high school."
"We want a real university," he

Five of the seven announced members of the new board of governors are members of the present Lethbridge Junior College board.

Campbell's petition protested the appointment of people "whose sole knowledge of 'higher education' comes from many long years on school boards throughout the district and who can envisage no other academic atmosphere than that of

a high school."
FACULTY COMPLAINT

The 35 members of the university section of the faculty made a similar complaint.

One member of the college staff said he felt the choices were political, but "what can we expect when the attainment of a university

here was also a political move?"

Mr. Strom denied the appointments were political.

The appointments were announced at a Lethbridge Social Credit nominating convention.

Short shorts

WUS looking for Share director

WUS is in dire need of assistance. In order for us to fulfill our obligations to destitute students and underdeveloped universities throughout the world, WUS needs a director for its annual Share campaign, to be held in late January or early February. Contact WUS in room 108, SUB, or leave a message in SUB office.

TONIGHT
MEDIEVAL STUDIES
There will be a meeting of the Guild for Medieval and Renaissance Studies 8:15 p.m. tonight at the Faculty Club. Prof. D. F. Chapin will speak on "Chaucer's Interrupted Tales of the Pilgrim, the Monk and the Squire."

CAMPUS CALENDAR

The activities board's campus calendar is availiable now. Pick it up at your fraternity house, residence or SUB. Supply limited.

MONDAY

COMPUTERS

There will be a meeting of the Association of Computing Machinery 8 p.m. Monday in mp 419. Dr. S. Hunka will speak on "Computers in Education."

TUESDAY

PERSONNEL BOARD

Applications are requested by the personnel board for the following positions:

positions:

1. Chairman, cooperative housing committee. This committee is examining the operation of co-operative housing projects and the possibility of establishing co-operatives for students at the University of Alberta. The committee has already begun its work, but a new chairman is required. Detailed information about the committee can be obtained from Glenn Sinclair, coordinator of student activities.

2. Chairman, art committee. This

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2. Chairman, art committee. This committee has been established to arrange art displays for the art gallery in the new students' union building next year. A chairman and committee members are required.

3. The students' union planning commission requires students for the following positions: public relations officer, historian, secretary, fund-raising chairman, artifacts chairman, and opening ceremonies chairman.

4. Policy of operations board. This board, which is examining and recommending policies for the operation of the new students' union building, requires an additional member.

Application forms for the above

Application forms for the above positions may be obtained at the students' union office and must be submitted to Marilyn Pilkington, vicepresident, before Tuesday.

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RUSSIAN CLUB
There will be a Russian Club meeting 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, room 110, SUB.
Dr. Y. Slavutych will speak on "Love in Russian Poetry." Anyone interested is welcome.

WEDNESDAY
CAMPUS DEMOCRATS
There will be a meeting of the U of A Young New Democrats 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in Wauneita Lounge. Prof. Pocklington will speak on "Democracy". General membership meeting to follow.

SOCIOLOGY CLUB
Sociology Club will hold a "Meet

Your Prof Night" 8 p.m. Nov. 19, in room 105, Concord Towers.

CULTURE 500

The Students' Union Artist Series presentation of the Kaleidoscope players will be 8 p.m. Nov. 22 in Con Hall. Performance is "The Other Sides of the Looking Glass." Admission \$1.50.

FEE COMMISSION

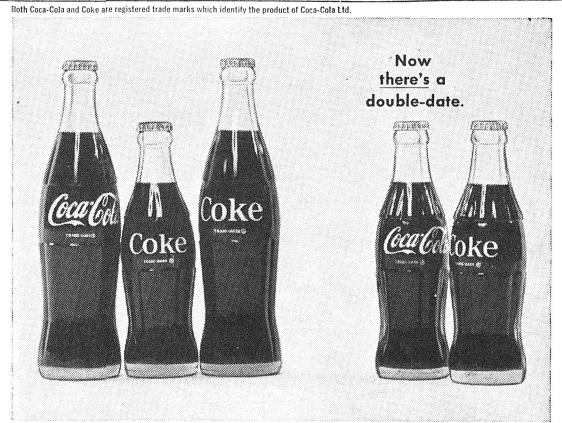
Any submissions regarding students' union fees must be made in writing by Nov. 30 to the students' union office. These may be submitted by individuals or organizations and may be of any length and on any matter relevant to students' union fees.



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