

MODEL PARLIAMENT

STUDENT COUNCIL

I PRESUME By GUS VISMAN

The old DGDS constitution with minor modifications was ratified in its second presentation before Council. The large change is in Section IV, where the Society "shall present each spring a plan of activities for the coming year." Law Rep.-Dave Mann described it as "more flexible" than the original draft, which laid too hard and fast a rule on the events which must be presented.

The Business Manager appointed to the DGDS Executive will have to have two accounting courses to his credit. The largest revision in the Constitution, which makes the Executive (Pres., V.P. and Bus. Mgr.) appointed rather than elected, was passed without alteration from the previous reading.

SMU CONFERENCE

Dalhousie will send three to five delegates to the Conference on Biculturalism to be held at St. Mary's University March 7 & 8. The CUS Committee will be asked to recommend delegates; students at large are free to request delegation. Applications must be addressed to the Council Office.

"THE ROLE OF THE STUDENT IN WORLD AFFAIRS" is the focus of an annual jolly at Loyola College (Montreal for our

readers) to which Dalhousie will send no delegates this year. Our delegate last year rated the May conference poorly; ergo no free rides home for ambitious Montrealers.

Dalhousie Ring policy remains obscure. One thing was decided: no one but a student in his graduating year (receiving a degree or diploma) may purchase a ring. Councillors expressed dissatisfaction with the service given at Birks', the company which presently has the monopoly on Dal rings, and a committee may or may not be set up to investigate the matter. Maybe rings will go out of style.

Some quibbling over the seating of a Physiotherapy Rep. at Council: led to a resolution that next year's Council look into the matter and try to seat the Physios.

For Councillors not present, President Cooper and Rep. Joan Stewart will jointly hold a party at George's place, because his parents won't be home - girl friends, guy friends, are invited - and those with wives may bring them.

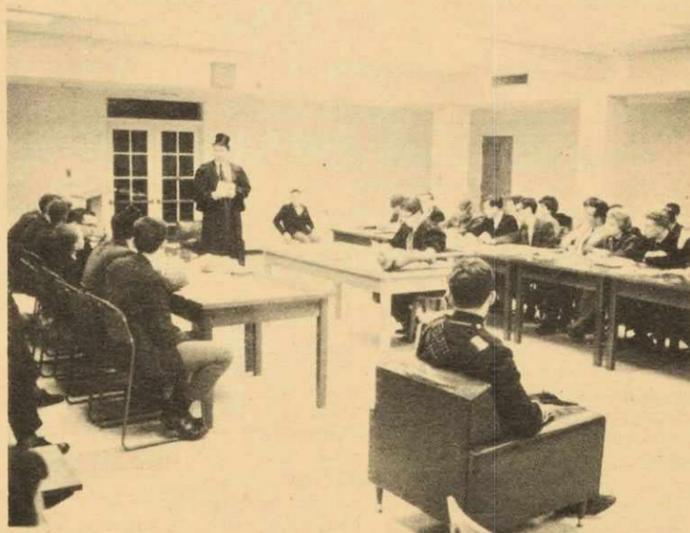
Rep. Hillis was quiet on the eve of his presidential battle, arriving two hours and seventeen minutes late. He didn't miss any moving drama.



Garth Burrow, Liberal . . . the Lasher.

J. Garth Burrow, leader of the Liberal Party expressed his disgust at the lack of organization in Model Parliament. He said, "This is the worst hash-up I have ever seen. No one knows when the Bills will be presented or what they are. The main aim of Model Parliament is to have a good one no matter who wins. When the leaders are kept in the dark it is impossible to plan any form of attack or speeches until Model Parliament night itself."

Terry Morley, NDP . . . the prime minister?



THE SAME PAGEANTRY --- UNDERNEATH?

The "hash-up" may be confined to the Liberal Party since on Saturday Conservative Oland submitted his throne speech and Bill to the Gazette.

One of the main points of the throne speech was the Conservative's adamant stand against lowering the voting age.

As the Gazette deadline falls before Model Parliament we can only wonder if this will be the issue to topple the minority Conservative Government as Liberal Club members have indicated that this will be a Liberal motion.

Another large measure advocated in the Throne Speech is "a general reduction of all personal corporate income tax..."

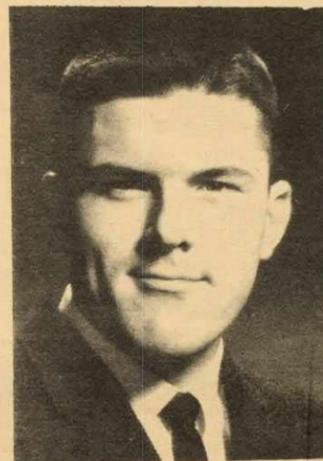
From the Liberal Opposition will come a private member's bill to "instigate a system of national lotteries in Canada."

What plans have been made by Terry Morley and the other members of the New Democratic Party was not released.

We can only call it unfortunate that Gazette deadlines and Model Parliament are not scheduled in a more complementary fashion. However, there is one evening to go, Wednesday and for you unable to attend we shall

hope to have a complete report next week with pictures of the various members and Speaker, Professor Aitchison along with the Governor-General, President Hicks.

Barry Oland, Conservative . . . prime minister for a day?



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Spring Fashions for Men

A Spring fashion show with a new twist --- styles for men --- will be presented in the Imperial Ballroom of the Lord Nelson Hotel, Wednesday, March 4, 8.30 P. M., under sponsorship of the Dartmouth Academy Ladies' Guild in co-operation with the Lord Nelson Shopping Arcade Merchants' Association.

The show-- "Strolling Through the Park, In Fashion" -- will include Spring fashions for men, women and children. Fashions for ladies and children will be modeled by Guild members, their daughters and friends.

Special musical entertainment and an art show, featuring portraiture, will be intermission highlights with "Springtime" favors to be distributed.

Tickets for the show can be obtained from Guild members or from stores in the Lord Nelson Hotel Shopping Arcade.