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STOLEN PAINTING —

Police have recovered the oil painting which disappeared from Ihor Dymtruk's display in the education building last week. The painting, named "Carnival" is reportedly damaged by exposure since it was left outside by the thief. The abstract valued at \$600 was part of a display arranged by the Fine Arts Gallery.

Edmonton's Opera Association Presents The Opera "Carmen"

The Edmonton Professional Opera Association will present the opera "Carmen" in the Jubilee Auditorium April 21-24.

Joyce Blackham of the Sadler Wells Opera Company of England will sing the title role.

Miss Blackham is well-known for her performances as Carmen and has been widely acclaimed for her interpretation of the role.

The part of Don Jose will be sung by Raymond Chiarella. Mr. Chiarella has just returned from an

extensive stay in Italy where he performed in many famous opera houses.

The cast of local singers will include sopranos Aline Blain, Crystal Fleuty and Helen Jackson, tenors Paul Lorieau and Harvey Jaster, baritones Glyn Williams and Ernest Chrustawka, and bass Lucien Lorieau.

The Edmonton Symphony Orchestra under Brian Priestman, a chorus of fifty voices, a boys' choir of twenty voices and a stage orchestra will support the cast.

Phys Ed Rep Criticizes Van Vliet's Proposal

By Al Bromling

A recent proposal to decrease student representation on the university athletic board was criticized Sunday by the new physical education representative on students' council.

"Students have proven their ability and should exercise this responsibility," said Mary Shearer at the changeover seminar of council.

Miss Shearer announced her position during a discussion of Dr. M. L. Van Vliet's recommendation to equalize the student-faculty representation on the board at five members each.

The present board, which is responsible for extracurricular athletics at university, consists of eight students, four faculty members and one alumni association representative.

Dr. Van Vliet's suggestion for a "more evenly balanced" representation on the UAB was presented to the changeover seminar by Dave Cragg, retiring president of men's athletics.

Students' union president Francis Saville turned the gavel over to vice-president Marilou Wells and led the attack on the proposal when it was presented.

He rejected Cragg's argument that "the athletics field is too big to be handled effectively by students."

"If efficiency were the sole

criterion students would not be represented at all in student government," he said.

"Regarded in the light of student interest, the students must play a majority role in policy decisions on UAB," he said.

Each student in the students' union has a seven dollar stake in athletics by virtue of an assessment made with the general fees of the students' union.

Saville says the faculty has control over athletics, since the professional advice of faculty members is seldom ignored by the students on UAB.

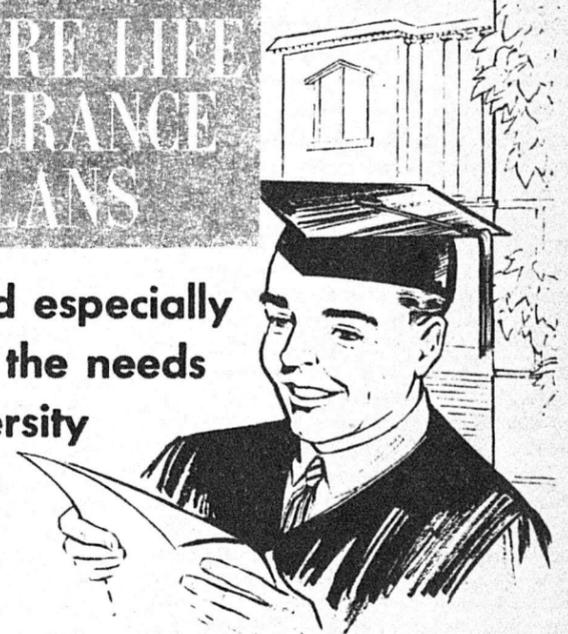
"Ninty-nine per cent of the time the students do just as the experts advise, but students should retain policy control in this area," he said.

Professor J. W. Porteous, a faculty representative on UAB, told the seminar group the student-faculty representation "is not a critical factor in UAB decisions."

Prof. Porteous, faculty of engineering, has been associated with athletics at U of A since 1924, and says the role of students in UAB is an essential one.

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