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## CANDIDATES PRESENT PLATFORMS

### Dalcom Begins School Canvass

Final plans for "Operation High School" are now underway. This is a Commerce Society project, organized by the students, and sponsored by the University. It was instituted last year by Dalcom for the purpose of giving High School students insight into University life.

This is a company project, the company being divided up into groups which are sent to different areas of the Maritimes. At present there are nine groups, with four members in each. These groups will cover all of Mainland Nova Scotia, as well as points of Cape Breton, Moncton and Sackville, N.B.

The trips were scheduled to begin on Feb. 25 and will end officially on March 9. The various High Schools will be visited and speeches will be given, films shown and discussion groups conducted. One of the films available is of Dalhousie campus life and activities, and another is of the Dalhousie University Buildings and campus facilities. Pamphlets will also be passed out to those wishing information on such topics as the Department of Commerce, Entrance requirements and the Dalhousie campus. The Athletic and Social Activities of the University will be discussed for the benefit of those who would enjoy an active participation in them. The year book, college paper, fraternities, Glee Club, and the Army, Navy and Air Force training plans will be mentioned.

### Dal Included In Survey

Two hundred or more Dalhousie students will be asked to participate in a national survey being conducted by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics of student income and expenditure for the current academic year. The survey, which is to be conducted in universities from coast-to-coast, is similar to others held previously in Great Britain and the United States.

Because of general concern throughout Canada about the increasing cost of higher education, the amount of financial aid available to students, and the numbers who will probably graduate within the next 25 years, accurate data is important. So far, reliable information has been lacking and the survey is an effort to correct this situation.

In undertaking the survey, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics has received the explicit approval and support of NFCUS and other Canadian university organizations.

As a result of the survey, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics expects to publish data indicating:  
How much students in typical courses spend on what;  
The proportion who receive student aid and to what extent it meets their need;  
The extent to which students rely on summer earnings, on support from parents, and on other sources.

The information produced by the survey may have an important bearing on increased funds available for the students and for the university. Because of this, all students who are called upon to participate are asked to co-operate to the fullest extent.

The survey will be carried out by means of a questionnaire which will be sent to a sampling of students in Law, Medicine, and Arts and

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Phi Delta Theta's "Chorus Line" (Photo by Thomas)

### Large Amount Added to Hungarian Scholarship Fund

The Dalhousie Hungarian Scholarship Fund received a boost on Saturday evening when the revue "Istenhozott" was presented in the gymnasium. An audience of close to 1000 viewed the successful undertaking. Student Council President, Ken Mounce, Producer of the show was able to announce to the capacity audience at the end of the show, that nearly \$500 had been raised.

Dalhousie talent filled the better part of the evening. Rick Kinley's group, "The Rockets," was an outstanding contribution as was Phi Delta Theta's Ballet and Tau Epsilon Phi's Rhythm Band. Nancy Lane, Julia Gosling, Janice Merritt, Joe Martin, the Girls' Chorus Line and a Calypso Group added greatly to make the show a hit.

Acadia contributed Jerry Parker who ably imitated Victor Borge while St. F.X. sent Tom Concannon and Bill O'Connor for "The Button," a dramatic sketch in the serious vein. Tom Vickery's Orchestra and Magician "Collini" were well received.

Hungarian Pianist Nicholas Gotthard played several selections. Nicholas will enter a Maritime University next fall, to continue his studies which he so recently had to give up in his native land.

Al Riggs handled the job of Master of Ceremonies despite frequent interruptions from Ellis Ross paging "Mrs. Poofenhoffer."

The Scholarship Fund now stands at \$1500 with an objective of \$2500. The Administration has agreed to grant free tuition to the two Hungarian students attending this University.

### Student Elections Tuesday, March 5

The Dalhousie Student Council Elections will be held on Tuesday, March 5. Approximately 1520 Dalhousie students will be eligible to vote. Voters lists will be placed in numerous positions on the campus in the near future.

All students will be eligible to vote for their choice of candidates for the positions of President and Vice-President of the Student Council. The entire executive of the Dalhousie Glee and Dramatic Society, the Chairman of NFCUS, and the chairman of WUSC will be elected by the entire student body. Men only will elect the executive of the DAAC while Dalhousie women will elect the executive of the DGAC and Delta Gamma. Representatives of the various faculties of the university will be elected by persons in the respective faculties. Each faculty has one representative except Medicine which has two and Arts and Science which elects a Sophomore representative and two Junior and two Senior representatives.

### Students Hear Speakers Discuss Campus Topics

By BARB GERRARD

The February 26 Student Forum proved to be a high success and hundreds of students from both Forrest and Studley Campuses, including the spirited Dal Band, flocked to the Gym to hear the four Student Council Candidates deliver their campaign speeches.

Ken Mounce, enthusiastically praised by all the candidates for his fine work as this year's President, was chairman of the Forum. He gave the details of the March 5 election and stated that the campaigning will end March 3 at Shirreff Hall.

Murray Fraser, the first speaker was introduced by Al O'Brien. In his introduction, Al highlighted Murray's many activities which include several years of council experience, as well as YMCA and Gazette Executive positions. He referred to him as a "dependable guy" and one "most sincere and devoted to the University."

In his speech, Murray, the Arts and Science and Commerce nominee proposed to support the DGDS, the possibility of obtaining study rooms in the Men's Residence, the revision of Sodales to allow for the debating of undergraduates among themselves rather than against the post-grads, the Co-ordination Committee, the increasing of publicity of Studley events on Forrest, plans for a Student Union Building on campus, and "continued striving for action on the proposed Men's Residence."

In introducing Law School's Presidential Candidate Steve Harper, Tony Nichols mentioned Steve's participation in football, swimming, DGDS, Rink Rats and Inter-fac debating, and referred to him as one who works "in a wholehearted way."

Steve proposes improvement of athletic facilities in tennis, curling and skating, canteen services in the rink in the summer to help pay off the debt, a less expensive year book with more advertisements and an earlier directory. Steve is against the proposed raise in Student Council fees which will go toward construction of a Student Union Building saying, "The University shall build the buildings, not the Students."

Fran Stanfield, also of Law School was introduced by John Nichols, who stressed the "importance of the feminine side in a University." He mentioned Fran's active participation in sports and in Law School Committees. Fran, in her spirit spoke of clearing up the difficulties between the DGDS and Dr. Kerr saying "the policies of all should be made clear." She also congratulated this year's Co-ordina-

tion and Publicity Committees and the Gazette Staff for their fine work.

Dave Shaw introduced Commerce President Dave Matheson who is his Society's nomination for Vice-President. In mentioning Dave's work on the Council and in his fraternity Dave Shaw referred to Dave as a leader and he spoke of his "drive and spirit — the spirit that most people say Dalhousie lacks." Dave Matheson, who was President of his High School, felt it was a privilege to be running with Murray Fraser. He proposed more careful scheduling of events in the gym, better ventilation in the canteen, and a council committee to arouse needed campus spirit.

Although ideas differed widely among the candidates, the one statement they all had in common was "On March 5 Please Vote."

### NFCUS, WUSC To Stage Dance

The combined forces of NFCUS and WUSC will hold their annual "Panda Dance" on Friday, March 1, in the Dalhousie Gymnasium. Dancing will be from 9 until 1 to the dazzling arrangements of an imported orchestra.

There will be fun for all as the affair is a combined dance and fun fair. Dozens of booths will feature games of chance, fortune wheels, roulette, raffles, and a fortune teller, all backed by fabulous prizes. An entertaining stage show has also been planned.

All proceeds will be donated as Dal's contribution to the Atlantic Regional Bursary. Any surplus profits will help send Dal's WUSC student to the Gold Coast. A small cover charge will be taken at the door. Enjoy a fun filled evening by attending the NFCUS - WUSC "Panda Dance."

### WUSC Applications

The nominating committee for the World University Service is accepting applications for persons interested in executive positions on the committee. All interested in a position are asked to contact Pat Fownes or Dennis Madden.

### VOTING TIMES NEXT TUESDAY

At Forrest and Canteen  
9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

At V. G. Hospital  
9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

