

Vietnam moratorium returns to city

By DALE ROGERS

A capacity crowd attended a Moratorium Rally in SUB Theatre Friday.

A film, "Time of the Locust," was shown and then a panel expressed their views on the war and answered questions from the floor. The panel was composed of Edmonton publisher Mel Hurtig, Effie Woloshyn, chairman of the Edmonton Committee to End the War in Vietnam, and Richard Frucht of the Anthropology Department.

Mr. Frucht stated that we have to oppose imperialism, and in turn capitalism. "My allegiance does not lie with those responsible for oppression." He went on to say that "if we end the conflict in Vietnam, next year another would begin in Argentina, Laos, etc. That is what we want to do away with."

Miss Woloshyn maintained the moratoriums are having an effect and the bigger they are the more effect they have. Speaking of the march scheduled for Saturday, she said, "This international day could be the one that breaks the camel's back."

Mr. Hurtig was pessimistic about the factioning of groups in the United States. Things are going to get a lot worse, a return to McCarthyism, where the positions are hardened. I want a more independent country than we have now, so we don't have to put up with this garbage."

Braving 15 degree weather, nearly 600 people turned up at the Legislative Grounds for the Moratorium Saturday afternoon. The group marched down Jasper Ave. to Sir Winston Churchill Square, where a rally was held.

Shouting slogans such as 'End

Canada's Complicity", and demanding that Prime Minister Trudeau "tell the U.S. where to go", the marchers finished the walk without incident.

Signs carried by marchers varied, but with a common purpose in mind, "Masters make the rules, for the wise men and the fools — Dylan"; "Brotherhood everywhere"; and "Capitalists and Imperialists are destroying the world", were some of the many topics shown on placards.

At the rally in Churchill Square a counter protest was set up by a self-avowed Hungarian Freedom Fighter. A sign of Ho Chi Minh with the inscription "May he rot in hell", was set ablaze. "Death to Communism—Liberty for all," and "No co-existence there, so why here?" were mottos carried by the counter demonstration group which numbered about 10 persons.

A spokesman for the group said an immediate withdrawal of U.S. troops would lead to a massacre similar to ones experienced in Hungary and Czechoslovakia.

The main body of the demonstrators listened to remarks by Effie Woloshyn, Rev. David Crawley and others. Miss Woloshyn, as in the rally Friday, made it clear that this rally was part of a world-wide demonstration against the war in Vietnam.

Rev. Crawley was of the opinion that the war in Vietnam was unjust and that he, as a Christian, could not support it.



—Shirley Skeel photo

A COLD PROTEST to the hot war in Vietnam was part of the Edmonton scene Saturday, as was the case in cities across Canada and the United States. Effie Woloshyn, above, chairman of the End the War in Vietnam movement in Edmonton, speaks to demonstrators.

"Where is the cash?"

by BETH NILSEN

Students' council refused financial support to arrested Simon Fraser strikers and the Arts Students' Association but granted an increase in funds to the Public Relations Board, Monday.

Several motions came before the council regarding changes in the budgeting including the above.

Jeff Caskenette, Arts rep, said that while the PSA people were no longer striking, they still needed money to aid them in legal disputes with the Board of Governors at SFU as well as several small debt changes in court.

Treasurer Dennis Fitzgerald repeatedly asked where the money was to come from, to which Mr. Caskenette answered "If this motion is passed then the money has to come from somewhere."

Mr. Fitzgerald's answer to this was "pull it out of the goddamn clouds, why don't you!"

The ASA asked for \$5,000 to "get ourselves off the ground." Val Keates, Science rep, said "I don't know what kind of trees you are cultivating, but I don't see

any money trees around here." She also suggested that the ASA "pass the hat" at future meetings to collect the needed funds.

"Next year we won't need to ask the students' union for money but until then, we need the money to get started," said Mr. Caskenette.

Also on the agenda was a motion to accept the Food Services Contract which would give students' union use of various academic offices concerning Food Services but would mean the union would have to pay into an equipment replacement fund.

John Holgerson, General Manager, said this was just what the union didn't want.

"It is obvious that the university is not very interested in having the Students' Union take over this operation," he said.

The motion to accept this agreement was passed along with a motion the university give the union \$135,000 and let it handle maintenance.

Council also re-instated the Appreciation Banquet, held to honor those civic dignitaries who have aided the university in some way, with a budget of \$200.

...and across the nation

OTTAWA (CUP) — Canadian students turned out in the thousands this weekend to protest American involvement in the Vietnam war.

The demonstrations, part of the international moratorium weekend against the war, were mainly peaceful with almost no arrests.

About 120 students from McGill University and other Montreal

schools and universities blockaded two CNR freight trains scheduled to cross the border Friday—delaying them a total of three hours.

The trains—one 65 cars long—were blocked at Lacolle, Quebec, near the Vermont and New York state borders.

One student was arrested Saturday during a brief scuffle with (Continued on page 8)

Teach-in on American domination

What could well be the most significant Teach-In to take place in Western Canada will bring together a number of highly qualified academics and politicians at U of A, Nov. 24 and 25.

The topic of the Teach-In will be "The American Domination of Canada."

The keynote address will be given in SUB Theatre at 1 p.m., Monday, November 24, by Kenneth McNaught, Department of History, University of Toronto.

A panel discussion on Canadian Foreign Policy will begin at 8 p.m. in Dinwoodie with a panel composed on Paul Martin, former

Minister of External Affairs, now Leader of the Senate; Lewis Hertzman, Chairman, Dept. of History, York University; Pauline Jewett, Director, Institute for Canadian Studies, Carleton University, and Vice-President of The Liberal Party; John Warnock, Dept. of Political Science, University of Sask., and Professor McNaught.

Tuesday the Teach-In will be scheduled as follows: at 12:30 in SUB Theatre, Mel Watkins, Dept. of Economics, University of Toronto and Vice-President of the New Democratic Party will deliver an address on "Canada: the

Branch Plant".

Professor Watkins, chief author of the "Watkins Manifesto", a position paper presented at the recent NDP National Convention at Winnipeg, is an outspoken critic of official government policy as it relates to American interference and involvement in Canada, particularly in our economic affairs.

At 3 p.m. Tuesday, a panel composed of Mordecai Briemberg, Chairman of the PSA Dept., Simon Fraser University; Harry Gunning, Department of Chemistry, University of Alberta; and Robin Matthews, Department of English, Carleton University, will discuss "Americanization and the University".

Mr. Briemberg was one of a number of SFU staff involved in the strike action at that university last month. The subject of this session of the Teach-In is particularly important in view of the large and increasing number of Americans employed as teachers at Canadian universities.

Professor Matthews has been attempting to draw the attention of the Canadian public to this state of affairs for some time.

The final portion of the Teach-In will begin at 8 p.m. in Dinwoodie. Walter Gordon, former Minister of Finance; Hu Marries, MP for Edmonton Strathcona; Tom Powrie, Chairman, Department of Economics at U of A; and Prof. Watkins will discuss "Economic Policy".

Admission to all sessions of the Teach-In is free, and any interested persons may attend. This is an opportunity for students, faculty and the public to hear interesting and well-informed opinions on a question which will have an increasing influence on all Canadians.

Black Panthers coming

The Black Panthers are coming to Edmonton.

Fred Hampton, Chairman of the Illinois Chapter, Willy Calvin, Minister of Defense of the Illinois Chapter, and Jerry Eldridge will arrive in Edmonton at 11:10 Tuesday night.

"Fred Hampton is out on \$35,000 bail for allegedly robbing an ice cream truck of 75 cents worth of ice cream to give to some kids," said Mort Newman, a political science grad student.

Although the Black Panthers are best known for militant racial activities in the United States, they have also set up a breakfast program in virtually every major city in the United States which serves 17,000 children per day from slum areas.

The Black Panthers will be meeting with students and faculty

in political science, anthropology and sociology classes Wednesday morning.

At noon, the film "Off the Pig" will be shown in SUB Theatre, with an introductory discussion with the Panthers. The film will also be shown Tuesday at 12:30.

The Panthers will speak again Wednesday night in Dinwoodie Lounge at a rally which is free of charge.

Thursday morning, tentative meetings and discussions with students and faculty in the political sciences are planned.

The Meditation Room will be the scene of follow-up talks to Wednesday's forum on Thursday at 12:30.

The Black Panthers are now in Saskatoon, and go to Lethbridge after appearing in Edmonton.