

Canadian University Press DATELINE

Ladies First At McGill

MONTREAL—A woman has been elected president of the McGill University Students' Council for the first time in campus history.

Sharon Scholzberg, a second-year law student, won 52.2 per cent of the popular vote in the March 6 elections, beating her male competitor, Harold Crooks, by 344 votes.

Miss Scholzberg said her success did not show a particular increase of openmindedness on campus. "The student body has always been openminded, and this election only indicated that fact," she said.

The President-elect emphasized that at no time during the campaign did anybody suggest that the two-way council presidency race was a battle of the sexes. She said, however, that "some students may have cast their votes in a very subjective way."

Four-Letter Words Illegal

BERKLEY, Calif.—An obscenity controversy at the Berkley campus of the University of California has been tacitly blamed by faculty members for the surprise resignations of President Clark Kerr and Acting Chancellor Martin Meyerson announced recently.

This time students are challenging the law's definition of obscenity. It started March 5 when a non-student, John Thompson, was arrested on campus for "outraging public decency" by carrying on "obscene sign" bearing a four-letter word, the vernacular for fornicate.

Mr. Thompson said he carried the poster to protest censorship and the lack of love in society.

The San Francisco Chronicle reported that Chairman of the California Board of Regents, Edward Carter had asked President Kerr to expel the student leaders of the four-letter word campaign and had set a deadline for that action. President Kerr, it is reported, was unwilling to take the step.

Toronto Frat Raided

TORONTO—Police took down the names of 140 students following a raid on a University of Toronto fraternity party recently.

About 70 people escaped through windows of the three-story building as police entered. Others retreated to upstairs rooms.

A crowd gathered on the street jeering police and pelting them with snowballs. One student was charged with causing a disturbance. A fraternity member described the raid as "very unorganized. It took them 20 minutes to get from the front door to the bar," he said.

William Pilkington, Inspector of morality, said he advised fraternity presidents at a meeting March 3 that beer machines in fraternities were not illegal if coin boxes were removed. This was done at the Zeta Psi fraternity before the raid.

Students Repel Tourists

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla.—The city, the police department and the chamber of commerce at Daytona Beach are cooperating in an effort to discourage an expected invasion of U.S. college students during spring vacations this year.

In addition, the chamber of commerce board of governors has said they oppose "the annual spring and Easter visitation of the youths who, by their actions in the past, repel other tourist business."

The collegiate invasion of Daytona Beach has become an annual rite since Fort Lauderdale, another Florida resort, withdrew its hospitality to students.

Motel operators have estimated that student vacationers contributed nearly \$6 million revenue to the city in 1964.

No Candidates, Elections Off

TORONTO—Students' council elections at Ryerson Polytechnical Institute were cancelled last month for lack of candidates.

Ryerson's returning officer reported that 14 of the 20 available seats had been filled by acclamation. There were no nominations for the remaining six.

As he announced the cancellation of the election the next day, the returning officer suggested council could fill the six vacant seats by appointment.

Three of the vacant seats belong to second year technology. Only one technology student was nominated for the faculty's four second year seats on council.



—Yakulic Photo

HE'S ALL WET—Outgoing Gateway Fink-in-Chief Bill Winship (arrow) proved his policies are all wet Sunday as incoming fink Don Sellar baptizes him in SUB shower.

Four Students Win Graduate Study Awards

Four U of A students have won graduate study awards from the Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation.

Brian D. Sykes, Henry D. Rempel, Ormand S. Mitchell, and Graeme D. McDonald will receive fellowships worth \$1,800 each plus tuition.

John A. Brook, James L. Fisher, Beverley M. Gietz, Francis McKenna, Peter Menzel and Ruth C. Rodger received honourable mention.

Woodrow Wilson Fellows are selected for their scholastic record during their undergraduate years as well as their intention to lecture at a university following graduate studies.

Editor Admits Incompetence

Gateway Editor-in-Chief Bill Winship said Wednesday he is incompetent nine times out of ten.

"Incompetence is a communicable disease The Gateway has spread since I took over," he admitted.

Yardbird Suite Moves To Its New Home

Yardbird Suite has moved to a new home.

The Suite is now located at 8039-102 Street.

In keeping with its new abode, the Suite has a fresh slate of entertainment scheduled for March.

This Friday through Sunday, Henry Kreisel will read from T. S. Eliot with Chris Jordan on the guitar, followed by a concert by the Tailgate Jazz Band.

Next weekend Jack McCreath, Kathryn Forrest and Norma Chapman will sing "Lost Songs from the Broadway Stage". A jazz concert will follow the Saturday performance.

Organizations To Register

Fraser Smith, coordinator of student activities, wishes to announce the registration of all student organizations, commencing immediately and ending Friday, March 26.

Mr. Smith cautions that student organizations that do not register may not be allowed to use campus facilities.

Every organization previously registered has received in the mail a form suitable for re-registration. New organizations may obtain a form from the students' union office.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE

Applications for the positions of Director of Varsity Varieties and script writer for the show for 1966 should be submitted to the undersigned by April 15, 1965.

Colin Fraser
Director, VGW
Students' Union Bldg.