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Junior Cabaret Is Sensation

Owens Tells S.C.M. About N.F.C.U.S.

The organization and purpose of the National Federation of Canadian University Students was the theme of an informative address given by Ted Owens, President of the S. R. C. at the weekly meeting of the Student Christian Movement last Sunday evening. Tracing briefly the history of N. F. C. U. S., which was organized in 1919, and continued operation until 1939, when it ceased to function for the duration, Mr. Owens said that it had been revived in 1944 and that it was now getting into peacetime activity. The purpose of the organization is to foster a national outlook among the universities of Canada. To this end, the Dominion has been divided into four regions, the Maritimes, Central Canada, the Prairies and British Columbia, and exchange scholarships between universities in the different regions are being granted. Students who wish to take one year of training at a university in another region, and then return to their home university to complete their work are thus permitted to do so.

International Student Service was also discussed at the conference. The universities of Canada are co-operating in raising \$75,000 for this purpose.

Heier Baxter reported on the recent Planning Conference at Mt. A., telling about the Student-Industry project to be carried out in Montreal and about the Bible Study Seminars to be held in May.

At the end of the meeting, two committees (one on marriage problems, and the other, the executive) met to discuss plans, during which refreshments were served. The meeting closed with an informal discussion directed by Bradley and Company.

Alex' Students Enter Swing Of College Life

Alexander College officially opened in Wilnot Park on January 11 marking another milestone in the long history of U. N. B.

The students were welcomed by Dr. Gregg, Major Parr, Dean of Alexander College, a representative of the U. N. B. Veterans Club, a representative of the U. N. B. Students Representative Council, and the president of the 1945 Freshman class, the following day.

The registration of students and the organization of classes went on smoothly throughout the week proving that the faculty had capably and carefully planned the task.

The students are quartered in former army huts. Each hut has

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Friday evening the long awaited Junior Cabaret blossomed into being. At 8.20 couples began to make their way through the transformed entrance of the Gym to be received by the charming hostesses Marie Graham, Jackie Richard, Charlotte VanDine and Mary Whalen.

As the twosomes entered music by the Merry Makers brought forth the original question "Shall we dance?"

Tables for two were reserved for those who chose to be waited on by glamorous gals (our Jolly Juniors) while the bar served the never absent stag line as well as others. The bar was obviously a masterpiece of decoration as was the elite entrance not to mention the "Tunnel of Love"—Hubba, Hubba.

Such was the setting for the "ultra floor show with John Baxter as genial master of ceremonies. Professor Stankorizty "rendered" his classical composition enjoyed by all. The Voice was also featured entertainment Sw9-o-on! But the feature was the chorus girls—What entertainment! What a carol. "Doc" Roberts performed, to the delight of all, with the same maestroness as he ever had and don't forget Jerry Atyeo on the piano and Mike. Incomparable with them but

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Don't Miss These!

The Co-Ed Choral Club and the Men's Glee Club have been practising together the past two Sundays in the Ladies' Reading Room. The appearance of both at the Founders' Day program in February is planned, and serious work is being put into the preparations. The Clubs will also sing at the spring play of the Dramatic Society. A cordial invitation to attend these regular practices at 2:30 every Sunday afternoon, is extended to all who like to sing.

Must Have Standard Text Is Decision

The Delta Rho and the Debating Society met at the newly formed Debating Union on Thursday evening had a round table discussion on the topic, "That a Standard Canadian History Text be taught in Canadian Schools."

Doug Rice's statement that history is a science met with disapproval.

Denis Benson took a wider conception of the topic. He felt we should have an International History.

It was decided unanimously that there should be a Standard Canadian History Text to be taught in schools. It was suggested that this would be an important factor in bringing about national pride and feeling.

Interest in two forthcoming debates claimed attention. On February 15 Dalhousie debates at U.

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Vets Report On McGill Conference

The report on the McGill Veterans Conference was the main feature of the Veterans' Club meeting held in Memorial Hall last Friday noon.

The reading of the Housing and Financial Briefs of the Conference together with reports of the various club committees occupied most of the meeting. A large number of Vets turned out to hear the reports and the plans of the Vets Housing Committee.

The first item was the reading of the Housing Brief, the main theme of which was the scarcity and high cost of accommodation, especially for married Vets. Several recommendations were made and these will be submitted to the Dominion Government.

Next on the program was the reading of the brief of Financial Panel. Several recommendations are also being made in this regard among them, a proposed increase in grants of \$29.00 for single students and \$40.00 for married students.

A National Vets Council of seven members has been set up to act as a clearing house for information on Veterans affairs.

An interesting feature of the meeting was George Robinson's report on the plan of the Housing Committee. They are arranging for a thorough survey of the city to locate all possible accommodations, especially for married Vets, many of whom are faced with serious problems. The questionnaire showed that about 40 married Vets have no suitable accommodations for their families and are finding a serious financial strain under present conditions. The Housing Committee is planning an intensive advertising campaign in newspaper and radio.

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CANADIAN CAMPUS

"Let it snow, let it snow, let it snow" is the refrain on all camps this January for, according to Canadian Campus information this week, skiing is far and away the favourite winter sport of university students from east to west of the country. Skating and hockey run near seconds and various indoor sports are popular, but when conditions are right rinks, pools, badminton and squash courts are neglected as people pack themselves into trains and buses and head for neighbouring ski runs.

Weather conditions cause opportunities for the sport to vary across Canada, but everywhere right now a snowflake is as welcome as the first sign of spring. The Laurentian area is, of course, the skiers' paradise and the facilities this "little piece of Switzerland" offers are made full use of by universities in the district. On all camps reporting this week the sport is organized by clubs which arrange expeditions, competition, and, although they take their skiing seriously, social activities.

At McGill a general weekly exodus begins Friday when ski slacks are worn to classes. On Monday, weary athletes return on early-morning trains and, still wearing ski slacks, go back to classes. Sun

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Council Holds Quiet Session

The S. R. C. met in the Geology lecture room last Friday to hold one college year. With comparatively of its shortest "ay" meetings of the little controversy over matters brought up, the council managed to conclude its business ten minutes or so before one o'clock.

Replacing Joe Kaplan, who recently resigned as hockey manager, the Council appointed Charles Stepienson, and for the position of track manager they chose Bill Logan.

The A. A. A. presented a budget of \$87.65. Neil Elgee, president of that organization, explained that the money was for the purpose of carrying on sport at Alexander College. This budget, as well as one for men's basketball and another for ladies' basketball received the unanimous approval of the S. R. C. The mens' budget totalled \$113.25, and was used for the game last Saturday night and to buy uniforms for the team. Ladies' basketball received their budget for \$4.25.

Ted Owens, S. R. C. president, reported that he had seen the president in connection with the Bryan Priestman Memorial Lectureship Fund and that the latter had suggested to him a sum of \$400 to be contributed by the student body of the university towards the fund. This suggestion was referred to the classes.

The Chemical Society presented their constitution which was approved. It was suggested that in future a committee be set up to give serious study to any constitutions coming before the S. R. C. for approval.

The photographic firm of Rice and McInerney were made exclusive photographers, on appointment by the campus hierarchy. This appointment gives them permission to take pictures at formal dances on the campus, provided the society sponsoring the dance agrees. Doug Simpson was given permission to use the college rink every afternoon before four and five o'clock.

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Seniors To Sell Hot Dogs At Rink

Gathering in Dr. Turner's lecture room last Thursday noon, the Senior Class met for a short but important discussion of ways and means in which the class funds might be augmented.

After much bickering, and with many questions having been asked, it was finally decided to sell hot dogs at College Rink on nights when there is skating. A committee, with Don Holyoke acting as chairman, supported by Ted Owens, Al Cameron, and Charlie Weyman was appointed to procure supplies, and to see that people were on hand to operate the concession. All members of the class will be called upon to assist, and it is expected that if everyone co-operates, no one will have to work more than one evening.

Also discussed was the topic of the Senior Dance. Upon putting ski slacks, go back to classes. Sun

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Newman Club Convention Is Planned

The National Convention of Newman Clubs which is to be held in Fredericton in November, was the main business of the first meeting of the Newman Club held in the Parish Hall last Sunday. As this will entail considerable work and planning, a motion for the formation of several committees, which would be responsible for the various phases of the organization for the Convention, was made by Bill Gibson. The Communications Committee will obtain information from other clubs about the running of a convention. Accommodation for the delegates and arrangements for the banquet will be made by the Billposting Committee. A schedule of events is to be drawn up by the Programme Committee, while the Co-ordination Committee will be responsible for integrating the efforts of the others.

It was moved and carried that a vote of thanks be sent to Mr. J. H. Conlon of Fredericton and J. Levesque, a former Newmarite, for their generous gifts to the Club.

A copy of a pamphlet on the "Life of Cardinal Newman" was received from the Canadian Federation of Newman Clubs. Anyone wishing to obtain a copy may hand in his name to the secretary, Marg Vince.

A dance, conducted by Terry Dalton, is being held in the Parish Hall on Thursday evening, January 24.

After the president announced that the next meeting would be held on February 3, the business meeting adjourned on motion.

Dr. N.A.M. MacKenzie

Dr. Norman A. M. MacKenzie, president of the University of B. C., was asked if ex-service students at the university were knocking down to their studies.

He replied by telling of the time he asked a pretty young co-ed how she got along with the veterans. "I can't quite understand them," she replied with a puzzled look. "When they ask me for a date they say 'We can go over our history notes together or swot up on some chemistry.'"

"But the funny thing is," she said, "we really do go over our history notes and swot up on chemistry."

NOTE

STUDENT PASSES ADMIT YOU FREE TO ATHLETIC EVENTS—BRING AND SHOW YOUR PASS