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## VARSITY AND VANCOUVER TO CLASH IN RUGBY TILT Crucial Game Set for Saturday

The second game of the Big Four Canadian Rugby season, which is scheduled for Saturday afternoon at Athletic Park, will answer a question which enthusiasts have been asking themselves for some time:—Varsity or Vancouver? According to reports and opinions Vancouver has a powerful collection of experienced players who are the favorites in this year's fixtures. The truth of this will be put to a rigorous test when they meet the U.B.C. team, holders of the Seaforth and Lipton cups.

Last Saturday's results, 25-0 in the Varsity-Westminster game and 12-6 for Vancouver against the Capital City, may or may not be regarded as potential "dope," but the first games can scarcely be considered exhibitions of finished football, or indicative of the standard of the teams concerned.

The match is being eagerly awaited by supporters of the Canadian game in and around Vancouver as one of the most interesting events on this fall's sport calendar.

Vancouver's line-up will include such men as "Bill" Henderson, who packs a 190-pound buck, "Aub" Tennant, who can kick, run or pass with balanced skill, Emil Anderson, a deceptive open field runner, "Charlie" Young, reputedly the best end in the league, McRae, a reliable centre, "Pit" Donnelly, outstanding quarter-back and "Red" Elyward, a slippery half and relief quarter, all under the competent supervision of Alex. Paige and Jack Cranston.

On the other hand Varsity's team with a fair amount of experience in the past and one game already behind them, can be relied upon to provide interesting, if not surprising opposition. Gavin Dirom, whose late return kept him from figuring in the Westminster game, will be a welcome addition to the student's backfield. The entire squad has worked out in the gray dawn every morning this week and the general tone and condition of the team looks promising.

Immediately following the Senior game, the Varsity Intermediates will tangle with the Lulu Island representatives, Richmond. For the most part, the men this season are new and in some cases "green," but Dr. Burke and Norm. Burley have demonstrated their ability in welding a given amount of raw material into some semblance of a team, so the University entry may spring a surprise, in view of last year's showing. Richmond registered consistent wins against Varsity in the 1927-28 games, but this year may tell a different story.

This double-header will take place at Athletic Park at 2:15 p.m. on Saturday afternoon.

## Sorbonne Life Described by Dr. J. Allen Harris

"A Chemist Abroad" was the title chosen by Dr. J. Allen Harris of the Department of Chemistry for his talk before the Chemistry Society at its first open meeting, held on Wednesday at 3:15 in Science 300.

Dr. Harris has just returned after a year spent in research work at the Sorbonne under Professor Urbain, one of the greatest chemists of the present day. It was with deep feeling that the speaker mentioned the consideration met with on every hand by the foreign research students.

Dr. Harris found that the French chemists are far ahead of the Americans in the matter of technique, but that the apparatus used in the French laboratories is archaic and not to be compared with that in use in America.

"Life at the Sorbonne is apt to be hazardous even for the professors," said the speaker, referring to the intense political prejudices which exist in the student body. These sometimes break out into personal violence toward a professor if he is undiplomatic enough to interject politics into his lectures.

The meeting closed with a vote of thanks to the speaker. Following this a short business meeting of the Society was held at which the officers were elected.

## Women's Basketball

Women's basketball practices are on Monday and Wednesday, from five to seven, at the Normal Gym. Everyone who can play at all, and who is interested is requested to turn out on Monday. Teams must be chosen before October 27.

## Dean Brock Attends Inauguration at Alberta

Dean Brock, acting president, left here Monday night to represent the U. B. C. at the inauguration of the president of the University of Alberta. Dr. Robert Charles Wallace, the new head, was formally welcomed, as the second president of the University of Alberta, on Wednesday. The convocation address was given by R. B. Bennett, the Conservative leader in the Canadian House of Commons.

After a brilliant university career at Edinburgh, Doctor Wallace, the newly-installed president, received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy at the University of Goettingen in Germany. Following this he took the degree of Doctor of Science at Edinburgh.

In 1910, Doctor Wallace came out to Canada to assume the duties of Professor of Geology at the University of Manitoba. Until he tendered his resignation, Dr. Wallace remained actively connected with the University of Manitoba.

Dean Brock is expected to return home shortly after the installation of the new president.

## Agenda of Alma Mater Meeting

1. Be it resolved that the Alma Mater Society depend upon the honor of the individual student for the maintenance of discipline and order on the Campus.
2. And that the following principles and rules be adhered to:
  - (a) Members of the Alma Mater Society shall at all times endeavor to uphold the honor and the good name of the student body and the University as a whole.
  - (b) Members of the Alma Mater Society shall co-operate with the student and University authorities in the protection of buildings, grounds, and properties within the University precinct. (This to include the fire regulations prohibiting smoking in the halls of the University buildings.)
3. And be it further resolved that the Standing Committee on discipline, as provided in By-law 31, be responsible for impressing the students with a sense of their obligations.
4. And be it resolved that the Student's Council shall sit as a court before which any students may be called to account for misdemeanor. By-law 5, Sec. 8, Sub-Sec. 3.
5. And be it further resolved that the present system of fines be used to maintain discipline in the Library.

## FACULTY CLUB ENTERTAIN OUT-OF-TOWN STUDENTS

In honor of the out-of-town students registering at the University for the first time, the Faculty Women's Club entertained at a tea in the cafeteria on Wednesday afternoon from 3:30 to 5:30.

Acting as general convener was Mrs. MacLean Fraser, assisted by Mrs. Lemuel Robertson and Mrs. W. Sadler. Decorations were carried out in University colors of blue and gold. Silver baskets of michaelmas daisies and chrysanthemums with golden candles in silver sconces, centered the tea-table which was presided over by Dean M. L. Bollert, Mrs. Daniel Buchanan, Mrs. F. M. Clement, Mrs. B. C. Hartley and Miss M. F. Grey.

Serving the guests were Mrs. A. G. Hutchinson, Mrs. F. M. Knapp, Mrs. H. T. Logan, Mrs. F. G. C. Wood, Mrs. S. J. Schofield, Mrs. H. F. Angus, Mrs. L. B. Stacey, Mrs. F. H. Soward and Mrs. Charles.

Partners for the afternoon were arranged by means of an original contest, about a hundred and fifty out-of-town students being present.

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## Council Urges Continuance Of Present Honor System

### No Pay for Coaches, No Aggies to Portland, Council Decides at Meeting

The Students' Council definitely decided to recommend the Honor system when they met on Monday night. No athletic coaches will be paid at the expense of the Alma Mater Society was the decision of Council and no stock-judging team will be sent to Portland.

The Honor system was thought by Council to be the only feasible plan of discipline; the only alternative—that of a system of policemen—having proved unsatisfactory in the past. It was also felt that the student body was not made sufficiently familiar with the system and that it should be more forcibly impressed on the students. Five resolutions were adopted which will be presented at the Alma Mater meeting on Wednesday. These resolutions will, if ratified by the meeting, leave the Honor system of discipline the same as in the past but more clearly defined.

## MILLER CUP RUGBY TO START SATURDAY

The old fight between Ex-King George and Varsity English Rugger for supremacy in the Miller Cup series will be renewed when the teams clash at Brockton Point at 3:15 on Saturday October 13th. Varsity now has the Miller Cup won by Science last year and expects to hold it, but the struggle will be a keen one.

Ex-King George will have, with a few changes, the same team which worked so well together last year. As evidenced in last Saturday's game when they vanquished Seaforths 24-0, they have a smooth-working, fast, fifteen and it will take a strong team to down them.

About thirty men were out to the Varsity senior rugby practice Wednesday and Coach Trywhitt put them through a fast workout. The men are getting back in condition and showed a lot of speed.

It would be difficult to predict the outcome but a very close, hard-fought game is expected by those who have been watching the two teams. The Ex-High forwards are about even with the Varsity men though perhaps, having a slight edge. In the backfield Ex-Kings have a little advantage in speed. Bob Rowan will take Murray Rowan's place on the three-quarters, while Jack Barbur will fill the full back position. Ford has been picked as Varsity's last line of defence and his tackle should prove a big stumbling block to the Ex-King's chances.

The Varsity team for Saturday will probably be as follows: Mason, Forrester, Murray, Simpson, Player, Fraser, Farris, forwards; B. Barratt. (Continued on Page 4)

## Seniors Stage First Event of Social Series

The first of the series of social events on the calendar of the Senior year takes place on Saturday when members of Arts '29 are entertaining themselves at a Tea Dance at Love's Garden, Marine Drive.

As the opening dance of the class it promises to arouse much interest. New members will have an opportunity of becoming acquainted with the "old timers" who will be out in force to enjoy the customary '29 good time. In order to facilitate the transportation, arrangements have been made for busses to leave Tenth and Sasamat at 3:30 and return from Love's Garden at 7 p.m.

Students of other years are warned that this is strictly a senior affair.

## Ten Reporters Added To Ubyssy Staff

The following have been taken on the Ubyssy staff as reporters: Doris Barton, Margaret Lyle, Don Sutherland, Barbara Ashby, Margaret Creelman, Nick Mussallem, F. Hemsworth, J. M. Pretty, H. F. King, Mairi Dingwall.

Others wishing for similar positions have still an opportunity of being accepted. Another contest is being held and further appointments will be announced later.

Coaches for athletics will receive no salary from the Student's Council or at the expense of the Alma Mater Society. It was decided, however, that clubs desiring these coaches could collect a fee from individual members or could raise money by some means that would take no revenue from the Alma Mater Society.

That a stock-judging team will not be sent from Agriculture to the Portland contest, was the decision of Council at its meeting. Council considered the expense to be too great to finance but a letter to the Faculty of Agriculture requesting their aid was to be written.

There will be no intercollegiate debate with Idaho this year but as a substitute a debate will be arranged with some travelling team. Mr. Paul Murphy appeared before Council to present the constitution and the budget of the newly formed debating union. The constitution was accepted with minor changes but the budget was discussed at length. The Idaho debate was dropped while other statements were left until they were itemized.

Miss Geraldine Whittaker was elected Vice-president of the Students' Council. Mr. Douglas Macdonald, the junior member, was put in charge of (Continued on Page 3)

## EXTENSIVE PROGRAM PLANNED BY NEW DEBATING UNION

The University Students' Debating Union has definitely taken its place beside other official societies on the campus. At Monday's meeting of Council the Union received the formal benediction of that body.

Although the Union is an experiment, the interest shown in it by the student body ensures that it will be a successful one. At the first meeting of the year which will be held on Tuesday at noon in Arts 108, the officers for the coming year will be elected.

At least three inter-collegiate debates have been definitely decided upon. Four men will be needed to resist the attack and to wage an offensive against one university in the Western University's Debating League. This year Varsity sends two men to Alberta and receives two men from Alberta in the league.

There will also be two debates, involving four teams, with the University of Washington. Two of these teams will be composed of women.

Besides these intercollegiate contests the Union will challenge city clubs and send individual speakers down town to address societies throughout the city. As soon as the new executive has been elected it will draw up a program which will definitely put public speaking in its place amongst the students.

## New Members Chosen By Players' Club

As the result of the recent try-outs, the following new members have been chosen for the Players' Club: J. Aake, V. Hood, L. Hardy, D. Young, A. Kulon, A. Morrow, A. Hulbert, E. Cowan, E. Magee, B. Felton, M. Stewart, K. Bingay, J. Yarrow, E. Henderson, J. Telford, E. Riggs, S. Tisdall, M. Grant, J. Morris, M. Pretty, D. A. McFarland, A. Freeman, J. Hamilton, R. McRae, G. Rowland, H. Ormsky, A. Zaitzeff, A. Smith, E. Clark, O. Howard, V. Hull, H. Woodworth, A. Howard, G. Woodward, H. Bowes, A. Howey.



VICTOR ODLUM

## New Members Are Added to Debating Union

On Monday, in Arts 100, at 3 o'clock a large group of anxious Thespians gathered to take part in the preliminary try-outs for candidates who desired to enter the Debating Union.

Messrs. Howard, Shaneman, Logan, and Miss Helen Armstrong succeeded in securing places in the Union. Messrs. Gordon Guy, M. Clement, N. Mussallem, W. Shilcock, J. Winram, D. Macdonald, Campbell, Litch, and D. Watson will try-out again to-day in Arts 100, at 3 o'clock. There are three places still to fill.

Subjects chosen by the candidates last Monday to display their arts ranged from a convincing proof that in the state of war a nation is happier than when it is at peace, to a sound debate which developed reasons why in a condition of savagery people are happier than under our modern civilization. The candidate who spoke on war declared that an army was an ideal example of the workings of pure democracy.

One enthusiastic speaker enlisted the sympathy of his hearers by giving detailed and personal reasons why he was at U. B. C. With a voice choked with emotion, he declared his few remarks to be a confession, and each member of the audience secretly felt that the speaker was voicing thoughts as worth while and in as fine language as the thoughts of those other great confessors—Augustine, Rousseau and De Quincey.

## MCGILL AUTHORITY TO DISCUSS PRE-MED. COURSE AT U. B. C.

Dr. J. C. Simpson, head of faculty of Medicine at McGill University, will visit the University of British Columbia on Monday. He will discuss the matter of preliminary training for the course of medicine with Stanley W. Matthews, registrar of the University, and it is understood that the results of this discussion will influence the future policy of the U.B.C. in regard to pre-medical work. Dr. Simpson states that he thinks it better for British Columbia medical students to take at least three years in Arts at U.B.C. before taking up medical work in McGill.

## GRADUATES' CLUB

A meeting of graduates interested in the "Graduate Club" is called for Tuesday at 12:15 in Room Arts 108. The business to be considered is: election of honorary president, adoption of constitution, and a discussion of the objects of the Society.

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### SHOULD ATHLETIC COACHES BE PAID?

The University of British Columbia will not pay its athletic coaches this year, according to a decision of the Students' Council. Reasons advanced for the decision are that funds are insufficient, and that such a practice would tend to over-emphasize and perhaps commercialize to some extent, sport at the university.

The reason that funds are insufficient is no doubt a good reason why coaches should not be paid, but we question whether it is a sufficient reason. Surely the university has some funds to spend on athletics, and if such is the case at least a portion of these funds should go primarily to the work of education along athletic lines, namely to those who teach the science of athletics.

If we admit the work of a university is to prepare future citizens for the world, few will deny that athletic activity plays a great part in that work of preparation. And since teachers in other forms of education receive payment, why should not teachers of athletic education receive payment for their services?

We believe that athletic education should be treated similarly to other forms of education. Text-books, gowns, and other questionable necessities are not supplied to students for lectures; but professors are supplied to lead, encourage, and stimulate the students. In the same way we could do without big block sweaters and equipment, but we should have coaches to lead, encourage, and stimulate athletic activity. In short, if this university is to encourage athletic activity (and we believe it should), then athletic coaches should be paid, for the results would more than pay for the costs, educationally as well as financially.

Concerning the argument that sport would be over-emphasized if coaches were paid, we do not think there is much danger of that. At least not so long as the "eligibility rules" are enforced and a high standard of education is maintained.

Would paid coaches tend to commercialize sport? We do not see why this should occur any more than the system of paid professors tends to commercialize education at a university. But even if sport were commercialized to some extent and made to pay for itself, wherein would be the harm? Might it not tend to make education more easily obtainable for everyone?

We would advise students to give the matter serious consideration before they finally decide as a university not to pay athletic coaches. Such a decision would not prove complimentary to the coaches who have so far given their time and services practically free of charge to the university. In fact we think the university is presumptuous to expect these services free. If on the other hand, students decide as a university to pay coaches, then we suggest that every sport be given some attention by the coaches, in proportion to its importance at the university.

### CAFETERIA COURTESY

At present a custom which is a constant source of discomfort to many students is daily becoming more prevalent. The practice of reserving chairs in the cafeteria has caused considerable comment in previous years and yet at the beginning of this session, as at the beginning of former sessions, we must attack a threadbare problem which involves those qualities of fair play and justice upon which every student of this university should pride himself.

To come into the cafeteria between eleven forty-five and twelve and to find almost every seat reserved shows the well-meaning but mistaken ideas of kindness which exist among the students. It is certainly most unfair to those who hurry down immediately after the bell and who hunt unsuccessfully for a place to see some more fortunate person saunter in to the comfort of a jealously guarded seat.

It is not necessary to dwell further on the evils of this practice as it exists at present. We would like, however, to remind students of the few obvious remedies which would so greatly add to the improvement and consequent comfort of our cafeteria.

Firstly we would suggest that no student, by reserving places should consider the comfort of a friend before that of a more deserving person. Secondly we would suggest that all students whose time tables make it possible, should lunch before twelve. Lastly we would suggest that as long as the fine weather continues those who bring their lunch should enjoy the bracing air of Point Grey and refrain from monopolizing places in the cafeteria.

### SCIENCE '29

At the first class meeting of Science '29 held Monday noon, it was decided to hold a class party this term jointly with Science '30. The class treasurer Larry McKeever is unable to attend the University this year owing to ill-health, and his resignation was accepted. Archie Peebles was elected to the office by acclamation. The secretary was instructed to write to Larry, expressing the sympathy of the class and its hopes for a speedy recovery.

### OUT-DOORS CLUB

Fifteen members of the Out-door Club, plus one lone freshman, braved the elements to reach the U.O.C. cabin on Grouse Mountain. Due to rain no work was done on the new cabin so an enjoyable time was had by all. The return was made with greater ease as the current was favorable.

There will be another hike on Sunday, leaving on the 8:22 North Vancouver ferry.

## Correspondence

Editor, "Ubyssy."

Dear Sir:

May I, through your respected columns, voice what I believe to be the general consensus of opinion of a great number of Students in all Faculties regarding the conservative attitude Council has taken against the Aggie Judging Teams being sent to Portland.

These teams have represented U.B.C. for over 9 years and during that time at least one team has always returned victorious over Universities from all parts of the Western States, including Idaho, Montana, Washington, Oregon and California.

In its first two years of competition the Dairy Products Team took highest honors, and last year maintained the permanent trophy while the Dairy Cattle Judging team scored the highest number of points ever made by a student team at the Pacific International.

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JOHN R. MORRIS,

Arts '29.

Editor, "Ubyssy."

Dear Sir:

At the semi-annual meeting of the Alma Mater Society held last week, there was talk that the "honor system" of student discipline was deemed to be a failure, and that some other means would have to be devised to keep the unruly students in order. This was blared forth on the front page of the "Daily Province" to the Vancouver public. "In 'The Common Round' Mr. Butterfield asks just what is meant by the honor system. The students would do well to ask the same thing. No one seems to know any more about it than that one is 'on one's honor' to behave one's self."

The Students' Council has now passed a motion that the honor system will continue to be operative. Students who are interested in the welfare of the University, and we believe there are some, are wondering just what it all means. Quite a few have understood from it that smoking in the halls is prohibited. Many of them already knew this from the "No Smoking" signs in the halls.

Everybody seems to be uncertain whether each student is bound, on his honor, to report to the proper authority (what ever that is) any other student whom he knows to have committed an offence against one of the constitution's by-laws. Is it the duty of every man and woman to act as a stool pigeon on the others? We sincerely hope not. In this connection we shall quote from an article in "College Humour," by Percy Marks, author of the "Plastic Age":

"The supporters of this system defend it by saying that it places the responsibility where it belongs—on the students themselves. . . . A worse way of instilling a sense of honor into young men can hardly be imagined. I hold with the small boy theory that 'a guy who peaches on another guy is a bum.' . . . only one thing can lead him into 'peaching' . . . damnable self-righteousness. . . . I could never forgive myself if I had ever reported another student to the college authorities. Making stool pigeons out of the entire student body is no way to make gentlemen out of them. I know of two colleges where the students were offered the honor system which included the stool pigeon requirement. At both colleges the boys rejected it indignantly. The more honor to them!"

If the same system is offered us, let's deal with it in the same manner.  
Yours sincerely,  
CAMPUS-COMBER.

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The bus station,  
And sow the site  
With salt.  
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Obliterate,  
Annihilate,  
And exterminate  
The University.  
Until  
The campus  
Becomes a desert  
And jackasses  
Howl  
In the Auditorium.  
BECAUSE  
The Honor System  
Has failed!  
The Honor System  
Has failed!  
The down-town papers  
Say so;  
And they never lie!  
Moreover,  
I know it has failed.  
For I have seen  
Law-breakers,  
Defaulters,  
Delinquents,  
Outlaws,  
Criminal lunatics,  
TALKING  
In the Library.  
And  
Horrors!  
I have seen  
A degenerate  
Freshman  
SMOKING on the campus.  
Therefore,  
Let us wipe out,  
And utterly destroy  
The place  
Where such crimes  
Flourish,  
So that future ages  
May take  
Warning.

## Epistles From Abdulla Pasha

(No. 3)

Sultan Mohammed Rasem Bey El Bekalef Meshrib!

In the name of Allah, greetings to your majesty, to the wives in your harem, to the camels in your oasis, to the slaves in your attendance, may you forever prosper.

My father, I have decided to write to you at least every two days, therefore see that your steward increases my monthly allowance to allow for expenditures in paper, pens, and stamps.

I regret to say that in my first letter to you I stated that I was living in a boarding house; I have since moved to an hotel. I found it impossible to live in the boarding house, because it so much resembled a harem. Only that the conditions are reversed, all the inmates being men, except for the landlady, who is the terror of the boarders, especially around the end of the month.

In the hotel it is much different; there are a great number of slaves, that come when you press a button. I have a number of rooms here and I have engaged a group of personal slaves, but here I can't buy a slave outright, but must pay so much each month, as long as I need him. However, I have that fixed up all right now.

The first night that I was here, I retired at nine o'clock, to be kept awake by a noise of some sort. I dressed quickly and went down into a little room that moves up and down, then I saw a great crowd of people. Not seeing what they were interested in, I went my way. I wandered around for awhile and soon I began to feel hungry, so, as the rooms are decorated with palms, so I picked out a small one and started to climb it, to get some dates. Before I had reached the top a man in uniform called to me to descend. From his uniform I was afraid that he was a policeman, so that I dared not shoot, because in this country they object to shooting. Anyway I came down, and he took me to see the manager. Now I live in another hotel.

I heard that lectures at the University start soon, so that I will soon have news for you about what happens out there. Just now, though, I want to tell you about something that happened to-day. I was right in front of my hotel, when I decided to cross the street. As soon as I had started a car came along and I had to jump back. I tried again with the same result, and kept on trying. Then a policeman put his hand on my shoulder and said, "You can't do that. It is jay-walking."

"O guardian of the poor," I replied, "I know I cannot. But it is not jay-walking. It is madness."

He laughed at me and then ran across the street to stop a man from crossing on that side. I went to my room fed up with these Western ideas.

Now, may Allah smile on you until the end of time, for until then I remain,

Your devoted son, and  
expectant heir,  
ABDULLA PASHA.

## STUDENTS' COUNCIL REPORT

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the arrangements for the Home-coming week-end to be held November 10, 11 and 12 Mr. Greville Rowland, president of L.S.E. was made responsible for an executive letter-rack to be placed on the landing in the Auditorium.

The contract for the Ubyssy was awarded to G. A. Roedde on the recommendation of Ralph Brown, representing the Publication's Board. Rescinding a motion of the previous meeting it was decided to purchase shoes for students participating in major sports without the deposit being doubled. A permanent sign is to be bought to announce Alma Mater meetings. This sign will be hung from the window of the Students' Council room. The Treasurer was authorized to send a check to Mrs. Murray in accordance with the last Alma Mater meeting of the term of 1927-28.

Discussion took place on the budgets of the various athletic clubs. As the Council had sat from 5 p.m., Monday until 2 a.m. Tuesday, no motion was taken on the budgets which will be brought up at next meeting.

## Wampum and Warwhoops

Coming Commercialism

Council's new dictum: "Paid coaches will possibly make for commercialism in sport," startles lethargic sport upholders into action. The idea immediately started a train of thought through the Pub.wits brain and he came forth with the startling suggestion that if paid coaches commercialize sport then paid professors will, in their own unique manner commercialize education. The bus-drivers daily accepting money from a soulless corporation, are, bit by bit, commercializing the art of strap-hanging.

The presence of janitors in the Common Rooms will eventually commercialize the Chess Club. Even those mystic people who inhabit the Administration Building will accept bribes for explaining the calendar.

Gradually the students will come to demand pay for their attendance at lectures and so the whole U.B.C. will be overrun by professionalism.

Our Onerous Honor System

The effect of the honor system is still felt in the varsity. Upholders of the honor side now have real proof that they are in the right. To anyone that refutes their statements they can answer: "Why even the flag pole is being squared up."

New Printing Quarters

Like a tale from Horatio Alger's Classic reads the rise of the Pub. Where once the senior and assistant editors labored under conditions of transcendental chaos, now from the depth of velvet chesterfields the nonchalant editors puff at their Murads and dictate their cerebral undulations to capable underlings. At least that's what it seems like.

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As an aid to the yell-leaders in teaching Varsity yell-lore to the students at to-day's pep meeting, we print the following. All these songs and yells first rang the weikin in the old Fairview buildings.

THE SENIOR

I'm tired of walking up hill,  
I long for an automobile,  
When I get a drag on  
I need a gas-wagon;  
I'm tired of walking up hill.  
At beauty I am not a star.  
There are others more handsome by far.

But my face I don't mind it  
For I am behind it.  
The fellow in front gets the jar.  
I'm tired of living alone.  
I want a wee wife of my own;  
Some one to caress me,  
To dress and undress me.  
I'm tired of living alone.

ZBANG!

Zzbang! Zzbang! Zzbang! Varsity!

Varsity Rah! Varsity Rah!  
Give 'em hell with a sississ boom bah!  
Soak 'em, croak 'em, cover 'em with gore!

Sweep 'em away with a rush and a roar.  
HOLD 'em! HOLD 'em!  
Don't let 'em through!  
Win that cup for the B.C.U.

Whiskey wee wee,  
Whiskey waw waw,  
Holy mackinaw,  
Varsity eat 'em raw.  
WOW!

Catfish, dogfish, devilfish, sharks!  
Attaboy, attaboy, raise some sparks!  
Eat 'em up, eat 'em up, eat 'em up raw!

B. C. Varsity, rah rah rah!

## Playing Field To Be Improved

At a meeting of the Men's Athletic Executive held in Auditorium 308 several things of importance were discussed. It was decided to hold the regular meetings every two weeks instead of every week as formerly. Tommy Berto, president, said that if any one on the executive were to bring anything before Council before it had been passed by the executive, he would be against it.

It was decided to put four of the University groundsmen on the playing field. It was estimated that this would take three weeks to complete, and that the cost would be \$388 unless Dean Clement consented to let them use a team free of charge.

Bill Haggerty mentioned that there was a prospect of a team (Canadian Rugby) playing the winner of the Big 4 league and Varsity during the Christmas holidays. It was suggested that an attempt be made to have the Canadian and English Rugby games on dates which did not conflict during the holidays so as to insure a maximum attendance for both games.

The question of shoes for the four major sports was discussed and it was decided that the Executive go on record as approving the buying of shoes for the said sports provided that the student paid half the price.

Budgets were submitted to the president for discussion in Council. The Swimming Club and the Basketball Club discussed the matter of paid coaches. It was decided that if a paid coach was not employed attendance and membership would fall off so that refusal of this item would only be false economy.

It was suggested that Bob Granger be paid a salary for his coaching of Swimming, Track, and English Rugby.

## WOMEN'S GRASS HOCKEY LOSES TO SOUTH VAN.

Varsity was defeated 1-0 in the first league game in Women's Grass Hockey on Wednesday afternoon against South Vancouver High School on their grounds. Since Varsity has had only one practice and has been without a coach, they did very well in keeping the score down against what is considered the strongest and swiftest team in the league.

The game opened with a rush when Varsity brought the ball toward the South Vancouver goal, but they were checked by expert fullbacks and the game then moved the other way. The play was confined for the most part around this goal. Nellie Mellish and Jean Salter at fullback kept the shooting fairly clear but were unable to stem completely the rush of the High School forwards. Mable MacDonald, although this was her first experience in this position, played like a veteran, making many miraculous rescues, missing the ball only once, late in the game. During the first half, Varsity made many errors but each time got away clear and the forwards took the ball toward the opposition's goal. Muriel Harvie and Carol Sellers on the forward line, made a very good combination and caused the South Vancouver backs much worry. Evelyn Cruise at center-forward played a steady, consistent game. The line-up was as follows: Goal, Mable MacDonald; Fullbacks, Nellie Mellish and Jean Salter; Halves, Gwen Humphreys, Angela Van Vooght, Mable MacMurray; Forwards, Muriel Harvie, Carol Sellers, Evelyn Cruise, M. MacDonald, G. Idlens.

## PUGILISTS ASSEMBLE

The first meeting of the Boxing Club was held on Wednesday with a number of new members turning out.

Many of the old team are back, including Frankie Cross, the fast and tricky lightweight; Ross Jackson, the punch-absorbing heavyweight; Plant, Cliffe and Woodbury. They are all ready to trade wallups with any aspiring freshmen who want a place on the team.

The Club has procured Bob Brown's new gym for its headquarters and Sid Walters for trainer. New members need not fear cauliflower ears at his hands as he is one of the best coaches to train optimistic pugilists. Charlie Woodbury will handle the Club this year.

Activities this year will include the regular smokers put on by Bob Brown and also a few mix-ups with amateur clubs in the city who are eager to be matched with Varsity. There is also the prospect of a tilt with the Huskies in the early spring.

## TENNIS NOTICE

Notice of the assignment of partners for the men's and women's singles, doubles and mixed doubles in the local tennis tournament is now posted in the Arts building. Players are requested to get in touch with their partners immediately and to play off their matches as soon as possible.

## English Rugby

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half; Cotterell, five-eights; Fell, Willie, Estabrook, P. Barratt, three-quarters; Locke, seven-eights; Ford, full back.

Sparks, Noble and Wilson will not be played Saturday, as they are not in condition. They will be in shape for the first McKechnie cup game, which is set for November 8th.

Varsity's schedule for the first half of the season is:

Oct. 13—Varsity vs. ex-King George.  
Oct. 20—Varsity vs. Rowing Club.  
Oct. 27—Varsity vs. Meralomas.  
Nov. 3—Varsity vs. Vancouver Rep.  
Nov. 12—Varsity vs. Edmonton.

An effort is being made to bring the University of Washington here for Christmas Day.

The Varsity Intermediate play ex-Techs on the Lower Brockton Point at 3.15, also on Saturday. So many men have been turning out to practices that in order to give everyone a chance to play, the English Rugby Club is trying to put a second team in the intermediate series.

The Frosh, in addition, are to play the Rowing Club at Renfrew Park. The game is set for 2.45. The Frosh is considerably strengthened, and hopes to make a better showing than the intermediates did against the Club last Saturday.

A notice of the Intermediate and Frosh teams will be posted in the Common Room on Friday.

## Varsity To Field Two Soccer Teams Saturday

Saturday next will see both Varsity's soccer teams in action. The first eleven plays Wallabies at Robson Park at 3 p.m., and will make them step fast to get a point. Although Varsity has several men on the injured list, they will field a strong outfit in an attempt to back into the win column.

Varsity Seconds tangle with the Stock Exchange at Granville Park at 3 p.m. The college men had a stiff practice Wednesday and will be in the best of trim to open their league season with a win.

## BADMINTON NOTICE

Badminton players are reminded that play on Saturdays will be from 5:30 to 8:00 p.m., at the Hill Club, 25th and Oak Street. Members are reminded that the fees (\$4.00) are now due, and are payable to Jack Sparks, Secretary-Treasurer or Nic. Solly, President.

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## Nursing Society Meets At Vancouver General

On Tuesday evening a meeting of the Undergraduate Nurses' Society was held in the west wing Sitting Room of the Vancouver General Hospital.

Miss Edith Tisdall, the new President announced that through the kindness of Miss Ellis the nurses would be allowed the use of the Hospital badminton courts, and it is hoped some matches will be arranged between the University and the Hospital teams.

Two other announcements of interest were that the Annual dance would be held after Christmas and that fees for the session would be two dollars.

Miss Ellis and Miss Grey then kindly addressed a few words of welcome to those present.

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