# GRADS REFUSE TO PAY

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## No Strike; No Fees Till Governors Give Detailed Statement

• UNLESS THE Board of Governors of the University sees fit to give the Graduating Class a statement of the expenditures on graduation ceremonies, the members of the class will not pay the graduation fee of fifteen dollars.

This was the decision of two hundred angry students, who met in Arts 100 Thursday noon. The students received a report from the class executive on the progress the committee had made in requesting the Board of Governors to reduce the fees, which are among the highest in Canada. The report stated that the executive had made little progress with representations to President Klinck and the Board. A request for an interview with the Governors was refused and the grad executive was informed that a motion had been passed by the governors maintaining the fee at fifteen dollars.

A request for an itemized account of the expenditures on the graduation ceremonies met with the reply that such an account could only come from the Minister of Education. Asking for the statement was met with the reply that he had not the information and that it could be obtained from the president. A second wire asking him to authorize the President to issue the statement was sent. The answer to this was to the effect that the President and Board of Governors were in control of all university matters and that the Minister of Education was not required to authorize them to issue a statement.

**COMPROMISE**

At the student meeting, members heard Roy Deane, President of the Graduating Class outline the attempts of the committee to meet with a satisfactory compromise on the question of grad fees.

Deane and other speakers pointed out that if this graduating class did not make some attempt to force the Board of Governors to show what expenses are made, then no basis for reduction of fees could be satisfactorily made. Also if this present class did not attempt to gain a reduction then following classes would have to pay up as well.

**It was pointed out that no one is questioning the integrity of the Board of Governors, nor the administration, but that it was felt that the fees were too high, and as it was up to the students to pay the cost, then they have every right to know where the money is going.**

**NO STRIKE**

A motion was made and seconded that if the Board of Governors did not give the students an accounting then a "Token strike' (a mass failure to attend lectures for one day) would be held to register the disapproval of the students.

Because this is a war session and because of the cost to the people of the province of maintaining the university it was the opinion of the meeting that this would be an unreasonable move. An amendment was made, stating that a petition should be sent to the Board of Governors demanding that a statement of the graduation expenses be given to the graduating class President by March 15, 1943, and if this is not done then the members of the class will refuse to pay their fees. The actual motion follows at the end of this story; it was adopted with only one or two members dissenting.

It has been pointed out that the grads are interested only in bringing about a reduction of the fee. They cannot make concrete proposals as to what functions should be curtailed unless they know what the costs of the various items are..

**CURTAILED PROGRAM**

**It is their view that the fees are too high for any time, however, particularly in time of war it is felt that some immediate curtailment of the program is essential. Members of the executive will be stationed at Arts 100 today noon with petitions for members of the graduation class to sign. Anyone who signed a petition at the meeting yesterday noon is requested to sign again as the petition was not in its correct form yesterday.**

The text of the resolution passed at the meeting is as follows:

WHEREAS, the graduating class of 1943 desires to reduce the formalities of the graduation ceremonies and WHEREAS, the Board of Governors of the University of British Columbia have refused to issue an itemized account of all expenses incurred at the graduation ceremonies to the duly elected representatives of the graduating class of 1943, so that these representatives can recommend the cancellation of certain formalities and for a reduction in the graduation fee of fifteen dollars, and WHEREAS, the Board of Governors have refused to decrease the graduation fee of fifteen dollars and WHEREAS the Board of Governors have refused to discuss the graduation fee and graduation ceremonies with the representatives of the graduating class of '43.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT a petition be sent to the Board of Governors requesting an itemized account of all expenses incurred at the graduation ceremonies that are covered by the graduation fee of fifteen dollars, and that this information be forwarded to the President of the graduating class of 1943 on or before March 15, 1943, and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT if the Board of Governors refuse or signify their intention of refusing to issue a detailed account of all expenses incurred at the graduation ceremonies the students in the Class of 1943 indicate their refusal to pay the graduation fee of fifteen dollars.

## Student Council Election Results Show 40% Vote

DONALD ROSS

HARRY CURRAN

LOIS REID

HARRY FRANKLIN

• STUDENT COUNCIL for the session '43-'44 has now been elected. They are President Bob Whyte; Treasurer, Don Ross; Secretary, Helen Welch; President of LSE, Murdo MacKenzie; President of MUS, Harry Curran; MAA, Harry Franklin; President of WUS, Phyllis Bishop; and WAA, Lois Reid.

Here are the results of last Wednesday's election:

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| WUS—Phyllis Bishop | | 191 |
| | Bernice Williams | 183 |
| | | 374 |
| Secretary Sylvia Anderson out on first ballot. | | |
| | Pat Cunningham | 437 |
| | Helen Welch | 598 |
| | | 1035 |
| LSE—Anne DuMoulin | | 412 |
| | Murdo MacKenzie | 646 |
| | | 1058 |
| Junior Member | | |
| | Dick Bibbs | 763 |
| | Bruce Yorke | 285 |
| | | 1048 |

This shows that only approximately 40 per cent of the student body voted. The ladies of the campus showed little interest as only 374 of them exercised their franchise.

Here is the vote by year and faculty:

| | |
|---|---|
| Arts 1st | 260 |
| " 2nd | 233 |
| " 3rd | 160 |
| " 4th | 112 |
| | 765 |
| Aggie | 61 |
| Ap. Sc.—2nd | 61 |
| " 3rd | 76 |
| " 4th | 48 |
| " 5th | 30 |
| Nursing | 6 |
| Social Work | 5 |
| Teacher Tr. | 1 |
| | 227 |
| Grand Total | 1053 |

John Carson and the members of his committee were fairly well satisfied with the voting although there were far too many spoiled ballots.

The retiring Council congratulates the new members and will formally induct them at a future meeting.

## Soph Party Scheduled For Mar. 17

• THE annual Soph Class party will be held in Brock Hall on Wednesday, March 17. Fred Hollingsworth and his orchestra will provide the music. Dancing will be from 9 to 1.

The dance is free for Sophomores, Artsmen only, on the presentation of their passes. Any outsiders who wish to attend, either with a Sophomore or by themselves, must pay $1.25. Refreshments will be served free of charge.

Pat Cunningham and John Boyd are in charge of the arrangements for the party.

## *Penny Drive Slumps Sadly; Nets Mere $235 Of Quota*

• THE PENNY DRIVE ended Saturday night with a very unsuccessful mixer and without more than half of the sum which it set out to get.

The total receipts to date are approximately $235. Of this sum, the Jabez skit provided more than $70 and the Mamooks auction about $16. The remainder came from the Arts and Engineers lines.

The sororities were responsible for most of the pennies on the Arts line. So great was their enthusiasm that one of them started a very successful bingo game which had to be stopped by the authorities. Several times during the week full bottles of pennies were brought in. Those who contributed the most were Kappa Kappa Gamma, Gamma Phi Beta and Kappa Alpha Theta.

**The drive was hindered by a full week of noon hour events which left the students little time for the penny lines.**

"We wish to take this opportunity to thank all those who lent their assistance to make this drive at least a partial success. The results are anything but good but the fault is with the large number of students who did nothing to help the drive", said a member of the committee.

## ISS Needs Student Support

• ISS IS asking for help to keep our fellow-students from starvation and stagnation, physically and mentally. They have given food to over 15,00 starving students, supplied needed clothing and medicine, and facilitated the movement of students to Universities behind the battle line.

Prisoners of war have been enabled to contact British universities and write examinations for degrees. Moral and intellectual life among professors and students has been maintained by ISS, which appeals only to students in free universities.

ISS week on this campus is under the sponsorship of the War Aid Council, with Ed Wybourn in charge of a special committee. From March 8-13 the following program has been arranged to raise funds for student relief.

March 8—Pep Meet.
" Radio Society Broadcast.
" 10—Self Denial Day. International Tea.
" 11—Tea Dance. Brock Hall.
" 12—Student Conference.
" 13—Mixer.

## *Speaks On Gandhi*

• DR. J. GNANIAH, famous Indian philosopher and world lecturer, will address the student body Wednesday, March 10, at 12:30 in Arts 100.

Dr. Gnanish will speak for half an hour on "Understanding Gandhi and India in Relation to the British Empire." In the remaining time he will answer any questions students wish to ask.

Once a follow of Gandhi, he broke with the Indian leader over a question of policy. He thinks India's policy for the future must be modern and progressive.

## Pep Meet Monday For ISS

• AN ISS Pep Meet will be held on Monday, March 8, at noon in the Auditorium, in aid of the ISS drive being held next week.

The winners of the Inter-Fraternity Inter-Sorority Song Fest, Beta Theta Pi and Alpha Gamma Delta, will sing their winning songs, "Beta Star" and "Alpha Gam Memories" as a feature of the meet.

Also providing entertainment will be the Musical Society Quartette, and a recitation by Johnny Farina, of one of his famous "classical" poems. There is also a possibility that Phil Nimmons and his orchestra will play.

The Pep-Meet will be broadcast for a half-hour recording over CKWX on Monday night, by the University Radio Society.

## *Register Now For Summer Employment*

• SUMMER employment is open to those students who register now at the Employment Bureau. There will be no fees for this necessary registration, but job-seekers are asked not to delay in this request. This registration also applies to those who have applied for part-time work as well as Christmas jobs.

The office in the Brock Building is open Monday to Friday between 12:30 and 1:30, and on Saturday from 11:30 to 1:30.

The Employment Bureau will present a radio program through the UBC Radio Society on Saturday, March 6, at 6:15 p.m. from CKMX (680 kilocycles). By this program, the Employment Bureau wishes to make known to the public at large, and especially to the employers of the city, the tremendous effort of this bureau, and just what it can do for them. It must be known that hundreds of enthusiastic young men and women are anxious to do what part they can in keeping Vancouver's industries functioning.

The Employment Bureau is no longer short-shifted. It is very grateful for the response it received in reply to a plea for extra help. The organization has been newly organized as follows:

Director, R. S. White; Assistant Male Director, Edward Friesen. Assistant Female Director, Pamela Seabright; Advertising Manager and Treasurer, Don Field; Secretary and Filing Clerk, Helen Duncan; Interviewers, Bill Knobbs and Eileen McCrae.

The Employment Bureau will thus be able to meet the increasing demands made upon its services.

## UBC Grad Fees Top In Canada

• VALIDITY of the Graduating Class demand for a reduction in graduation fees is established in the following comparison of the Graduation Fees of all the Canadian universities.

Nearest to UBC's $15 00 fee, for graduation in absentia or otherwise, come the fees of Alberta, Manitoba, Toronto, Queen's, McGill, Dalhousie, and McMaster universities, all with fees of $10.00. And of these Alberta has an in absentia fee of only $5.00, and Dalhousie a fee for B. Ap. Sc. of only 6$.00

There are, however, several universities whose graduation fees run lower still. These include New Brunswick ,with a fee of $6.00, Mt. Alison and Acadia, both only $5.00, and lowest of all, Saskatchewan ,only $3.00.

It will be seen that UBC not only has the highest Graduation Fee of any Canadian university, but also exceeds the next highest by $5.00.

## Red Cross Drives Net $3,513.85

• MEMBERS of the War Aid Council released yesterday the total returns of the year 1942-43 in the various Red Cross Drives held.

A special AMS meeting will be called in the near future to decide the method of spending the money collected.

The following is the itemized list of money collected:

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| Self-Denial | $ 306.00 |
| Ambulance Drive | 1002.05 |
| Red Cross Ball and Raffle | 1970.80 |
| Penny Drive | 235.00 |
| Total | $3513.85 |

# • From The Editor's Pen » » »

## The McGill Daily

Although we have not got the complete details of the suspension of the McGill Daily by the Senate of the University, it would appear from this distance that the Senate was perfectly justified in it's action.. The task of disciplining the editors of the Commerce issue should logically fall to the student government, however, it seems that McGill's student administration shirked the job and the Senate was forced to take action.

The Commerce issue of the Daily was flagrantly smutty. There seems to be no question of this. If it was a matter of one or two questionable stories, then we feel that no action would have been necessary, aside from precautions to prevent any recurrence. However, the whole issue was a disgraceful display of poor taste.

The Engineers of the University of Alberta put out an issue of the Gateway which was very questionable, although by no means as bad as the McGill issue. As a result the student government has banned future Engineering editions and also eliminated the regular column "Casserole". This column has been a Gateway feature for years. Always lively, and sometimes gusty, Casserole was, generally speaking, no reflection on the tastes or moral standard of the U. of A. campus. College papers tend to be a little racy at times and it does no harm.

Unfortunately some people don't know when they have exceeded their limit. Such was the case at Alberta and it would seem that their council was justified in forbidding any more columns, or Engineers issues.

The freedom of the press depends a great deal on the ability of those who control editorial policy to recognize their responsibilities. To our way of thinking the editors of the special McGill Daily violated their trust and should expect to take some sort of discipline for it.

We hope that this will not take the form of any censorship. If such a board were set up it would undoubtedly result in a policy of suppression which would defeat the object of any newspaper. Disciplinary measures yes, but censorship, never.

At UBC the responsibility for any printed matter which appears in the UBYSSEY rests on the Editor-in-Chief and the senior members of the staff. The council has the right to suspend any or all of these people if it sees fit, but the council would undoubtedly have to have the support of the student body. If the students granted their approval then council's action would hold, otherwise they would be powerless.

Thus the final decision would rest with the student body, who, after all, pay the shot and are entitled to control the publications to that extent.

This may be the case of McGill; apparently it is at Alberta. The McGill students lost their right by failing to act, placing the Senate (the final authority in any matters regarding student discipline) in a position where it had to take action.

We are sympathetic to our McGill colleagues, the regular McGill Daily staff, who were involved in this mess although it was a Commerce staff that put the issue in question out. We cannot agree with the action of the student body in protesting the Senate action, nor the Commerce editors, but we do hope that Canada's oldest college paper will not suffer any loss of it's rights because of the foolishness and irresponsibility of a few.

## A Christian Mission

Plans are being worked out by a special committee for the holding of a Christian mission on the campus next year. As we understand it, the idea and purpose of this mission is to have a two or three day session in which the student body will be addressed by various speakers, and to hold discussion groups with the purpose of aiding students to a better understanding of religious doctrines. It is the hope of those sponsoring this movement to promote a greater interest in religion and to help students to form more definite opinions on religious matters.

There is a tendency for modern university students to develop an entirely material philosophy, or to become too critical of religious dogma, with the result that they become entirely indifferent to spiritual matters. Either that, or they accept the religion of their parents, without question, and then take no active interest in it.

Religion has played a great part in the history of the world; it seems that every civilization has required some sort of religion. It would be safe to say that some sort of faith is a necessity for almost every person.

Yet in recent years there has been a swing from the church; other ideals have been set up and people have turned to the worship of other gods, such as science. These have not proved very satisfactory and the result has been a large number of disillusioned people, who are bewildered and do not know what to believe in. The old ideals and teachings of the church will never satisfy them, they want something to believe in but the old beliefs are not satisfactory.

It is here that the proposed student Christian mission will have an opportunity to be of service.

If those who plan the program can see their way clear to present a program which includes speakers of many denominations, and to give everyone a chance from Atheist to Catholic, then they will provide the students who attend with plenty of food for thought. Such a program would be of interest to a large number of students. Certainly any student, who is at university to gain as much education as possible, would not miss this opportunity to gain ideas, and to study the merits of the various ideals. Such a plan would help to clear up the questions and doubts in the minds of many, and it would also lead to a greater interest in religion on the part of students who took advantage of the opportunity to see and hear the proponents of the various schools of thought.

If, however, those in charge present a program of speakers, who are entirely orthodox and who represent a narrow group of churchmen then the plan will no doubt be met with a complete lack of interest on the part of the student body, with the exception of theologs and members of the SCM.

There is much to be gained from a broad program, if it brings out new ideas and is planned to awaken the interest of the average student. Should the plan be conducted with that view in mind then we think it will meet with success and we hope that the committee members will keep this in mind when they get around to working out the details.


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## • CHEMISTRY of WOMAN

• THE ELEMENT called Woman is a member of the human family and has been assigned the chemical symbol Wo. The accepted atomic weight is 120, although a number of isotopes have been identified, having a number of weights ranging from 95 to 400.

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DOMINION


## Letters to Editor

You are to be congratulated for your pointed editorial of the 19th in reply to an editorial of the "Manitoban" which carried some inexcusably inflamatory statements. Apparently the wide prairie lands have served to develop in the writer of that editorial not a broad-minded, but a narrow-minded outlook.

I rather think that the writer of that "Manitoban" declamation, who I believe is one of the two recent McGoun Cup debaters, is giving vent to "sour grapes" as a result of his defeat by the UBC McGoun team. Probably, if the Manitoba team had won, he would be writing in an exaggerated manner—thereby vaunting the victory —of the great oratorical abilities displayed on our campus; of the brillionl leaders; of the vitality of UBC and of the democratic spirit prevailing there. But he lost the match, must therefore "gripe," not merely unfairly criticizing UBC, But making some gross untruths.

But there is, perhaps, no object in recrimination. We have only to realize that UBC has received the "dynamic" gentleman from Manitoba as an honourable visitor should be received, and that he in return has chosen phrase his bread-and-butter letter in a distorted editorial.

Yours very truly,
DAVID R. WILLIAMS.

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## • LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Editor, the UBYSSEY,

Dear Sir,—

Every student of the world's development during the past 2000 years has observed the slow but sure broadening of the basic concepts of mankind's fields of thought and action. For example, in mediaeval times the economic unit was the feudal castle. Present day visionaries and post-war reconstructionists are thinking in terms of the world as one economic unit. Wars, in olden days, concerned only two barons in adjoining districts. The pressing need in the conduct of today's war is for a global strategy. And so the principle could be applied to every field of human endeavor. It might be claimed that the one hope of making the world of war today into a world of peace tomorrow lies in the ability of the peoples of the world to so re-adjust their thinking that they become primarily and basically citizens of the world

Any trend so general and so important as this one cannot be ignored by students. We exist today as students, not in the community of the University of British Columbia, but in the community of the world. Our responsibilities and our bonds of fellowship lie with the world's student body. It is impossible for us students at UBC to ignore the plight of the students of China, Russia, France Holland, Belgium, and the many other countries more drastically affected than we by the course of the war. It is equally impossible for us to ignore the plight of the many ex-students who are now the prisoners of war of the Axis or the Allies.

If we are to live up to these, our responsibilities, we must support, to the limit of our ability, the work of the International Student Service. ISS is a world student movement in the truest sense of the word. It knows no barriers of race, color, or creed. To be a student in distress is the only qualification required of those who seek its assistance.

Students at UBC will acknowledge their responsibilities to, and recognize their fellowship with, students of the world during ISS week, March 8-13. A full program of activities is planned, and your participation in them will not only fulfil your individual responsibility to ISS, but will be gratefully acknowledged by distressed students throughout the world.

ED. WYBOURN,
ISS Chairman.

## PAN-HELL

**Members of Pan-Hellenic are asked to come to the Pub TODAY at 1:00 to have their pictures taken for the Graduation Issue. This is the second and last appointment that will be made.**

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**NOTICE**—The petition signed by members of the graduating class yesterday has been re-drafted. It is essential that all members of the class sign the new one today or tomorrow in the specified locations to be announced.

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**MONRE PRE-MED**—Those members who were to visit the General Hospital on March 9 will not go until March 16.

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**NOTICE**—Tom Bernard, President of the Canadian Legion, will address the student body on "The Source of Russia's Strength", in Arts 100, at 12:30 Tuesday, March 9.


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# Green Roomers Present Savory's Opus Mar. 17-20

• AS A PASS FEATURE, to students, the Players' Club will present Gerald Savory's three-act comedy "George and Margaret" on March 17, 18, 19, 20.

The student body will have first chance to acclaim the play on Wednesday, March 17, which has been set aside as students' night.

Few spectators realize the amount of hard work and concentrated effort that goes into the production of a successful play. The Thespians have on an all-out do-or-die backstage policy. In spite of such difficulties as the getting of all the cast together, the booking of the auditorium, the completion of pressing essays, and the unnerving prospect of approaching finals, the cast is co-operating to make this production exceed all others.

In feminine lead is Sandra Gordon, fellow countryman of director Miss Lola Duncan, who is playing the role of Frankie. Opposite her in romantic lead is Art Jones as Roger.

Allan Ainsworth and Elizabeth Locke play the bewildered parents, while Ron Heal and Blair Bailly portray respectively the amusing and sullen sons. Helga Jarvi plays the maid, Gladys.

Miss Duncan predicts that Blackie Lee as Beer, which really is a small part, will walk away with the show. This unique part was the one that Miss Duncan herself chose to play some time ago in the same production before an audience comprised solely of soldiers.

Particularly pleased is Miss Duncan with her casting of the title roles of George and Margaret. She refuses to reveal their identity, but she said that of all the cast they gave her the least trouble.

The club has reached the hair-tearing stage, which is a traditionally good omen in the theatre world. Success seems assured as bedlam reigns in the Green Room. Rehearsals are being held nightly.

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• THE EXECUTIVE of the University Women's Club cordially invites the girls of the 1943 graduating class to attend the next club meeting which is being held on Monday, March 8, at 8:15, in the Peter Pan Ballroom, 1636 Broadway West. This meeting is to be in the nature of a forum on the Beveridge report.

After next April this year's grads may join the University Women's Club and add their weight to the pressure it brings to bear towards alleviating social conditions and encouraging the international outlook. It is hoped that many of the new graduates will join the club and meanwhile here is an opportunity to attend a meeting in order to see the club at work.

# Alpha Gam, Beta Win Song Fest

• ALPHA Gamma Delta and Beta Theta Pi were the winners of the Inter-fraternity and Inter-sorority Song Fest which was held Wednesday evening in Brock Hall.

Acting as judges for the affair were Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Crumb, Prof. Walter Gage and Dr. J. Alan Harris. Alan Eyre and EEHonoree Young were in charge of the arrangements.

In judging the women, Dr. Crumb stated that a very high standard had been set and that all the entries had shown exceptional ability. Alpha Omicron Pi placed second and Delta Gamma third.

Professor Gage, in commenting on the meet, said that there would be no semi-finals, as he could not stand listening to any more. Psi Upsilon and Delta Upsilon were second and third respectively.

# *Artic Cruise Job Offered 2 Students*

• TWO university men are needed as crew members on an Artic cruise, according to a letter which reached Colonel Shrum this week.

Captain Brayshaw, master of a Hudson's Bay Company supply ship, wants the men to travel with him to the Mackenzie River Delta by hiver boat, where they will join his vessel and proceed to Cambridge Bay.

"The ship is equipped with radio and telephone, and will travel in company with another H.B.C. vessel," writes Captain Brayshaw. He also promise sgood pay and an interesting trip.

The letter has been referred to the University Employment Bureau, and any student who is interested in the trip, is asked to apply there for further information.

# *Al McMillan Named New Radio Prexy*

• THE Radio Society has a new director. At the annual banquet of the club held Saturday night, Alan MacMillan was named as the 1943-44 leader of the Radio group, replacing the present director, Don MacMillan. The new prexy will spend the next few weeks working in collaboration with the retiring executive, but will not take over until the fall.

Al MacMillan has been active in campus activities for the past two years. Besides his Radio Society work, Al was junior manager of the American football team this year. There wil be enough of the present Radio group back next year to form a nucleus of a new season, and tentative program plans are already under way.

The two MacMillans are working on ISS Pep-Meet scheduled for Monday, March 8, which is being produced by the Radio Society. CKWX will transcribe the show as it takes place, and the whole proceedings will be presented as a delayed broadcast during the evening.

# • Shopping *with Mary Ann*

• DON'T WORRY about your Spring wardrobe—just walk into Plant's and see their complete stock of snappy outfits . . . pretty blouses, feminine and tailored . . . smart skirts . . . An election candidate was advocating "co-operation" with council . . . when she came to that part in her speech and said I will co-operate," a tall Zete in the front row was heard to murmur: "Like h—— he does" . . . Beautifully tailored coats are a special feature of Plant's . . . all in the bright new colors and styles for Spring . . . wear them over your suit . . . over your printed silk dresses . . . over skirts and sweaters. They are smart for day or evening wear. . .

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• FOOD, FOOD, beautiful Food . . . you'll find it in the pleasant surroundings of the Ship Shape Inn at Granville on Broadway . . . the most convenient spot in town for Varsity students to drop into for a cup of coffee or a snack as they transfer from one car to another . . . A Kappa Sig has been trying to borrow a fraternity pin from a brother Kappa Sig to give to his girl friend . . . seems that he has lost his, presumably legitimately . . . The Ship Shape Inn is always open . . . you can try any of their delicious dishes at any time of the day or night. . . specialties are hot off the griddle . . . that's why they're called "The Griddle Specialty Shop."

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• YOU'LL ALL WANT one of these cosy fur neck pieces to wear during this "In-between" weather when its too warm to wear a coat, but a bit chilly if you just wear your suit . . . Two second year D.G.'s walked into the Caf the other day at noon with two fresh (?) eggs garnered from the Aggie barns, broke them into glasses, stirred them with a knife, poured milk and some sugar into the mess, and drank them with straws . . . Friends ask that no flowers be sent . . . Drop in at 797 West Georgia Street next time you are down town and see the lovely furs that the New York Fur Co. is showing . . . they will give you a real thrill.

# *Children Of Throth Begin Training For Slaughter*

• THE GREATEST basketball saga of this or any other year, the slap-happiest game on earth, that super dooper production, none other than the Pub-council basketball game has finally been pinned down to Tuesday, March 9, at noon in the Gymnasium.

The Dirty Nine, alias the Students' Council are rolling up their heavy artillery in the person of WAA Matheson and Bill Backman. Besides the other seven members Council has "borrowed" a heavy caliber Bofors gun from the Point Grey battery with which they are hoping to shoot down the high-flying pubsters who have triumphed in every game for 27 years.

The Pub has "acquired" a set of smoke bombs which will be used to lay a thick smoke screen to shield the attacking newsmen.

Leading the Pub troops to battle is General Andrew W. Snaddon, an old hand at subduing councilmen. In addition to his seasoned and highly flavoured veterans, the General has a sterling collection of upstanding young cub reporters who will act as infantry and replacements. A brief glance at the masthead bears this out.

At a late date last night, Council was still undecided as to their line-up. The Tin Gods held a special meeting to attempt to settle this matter but ran into severe opposition from several members who insisted upon leading the attack alone. As usual the meeting ended in a free-for-all with Backman and Carson on top and Morris on the bottom and Mulvin and Warner leading a cheering section.

The only official weapons will be basketballs and the traditional ladder. The General has warned his men to bring gas masks in case the Council, as usual, try to use hot air.

Unofficial reports indicate that the play will be about as clean as the Caf during noon hour, but the pubsters, regardless of their opponents foul tactics intend to abide by the rules of the games, unless Matheson attempts to score a basket.

The student body is warned to get their last looks at the Dirty Nine before Tuesday. The funeral will be private. Admission to the game will be one cent, to be donated to the Red Cross.

***General***

***Snaddon***

# *Fifty Men Available For Party*

• JUNIOR and Senior Co-eds will be able to go to the Class Party, escorted by airmen, through a Date Bureau which is being set up on the campus.

Arrangements are now being made by a committee headed by Helen Welch. Any co-ed who wants a date will hand her name into the Quad office by 3:00 p.m. on Friday, March 5. There are about fifty lusty males available.

The party will be held in Brock Hall, on Tuesday, March 9, beginning at 9:00.

Fourth and Third year students will be admitted free as a Pass Feature, but any others can come for a $1.25 single ,or $2.25 a couple. Tickets will be sold in the Quad office on Friday, Monday, and Tuesday, from 11:30 to 1:30.

The patrons of the party are: Chancellor and Mrs. R. C. McKechnie, President and Mrs. L. S. Klinck, Dean and Mrs. D. Buchanan, Dean M. D. Mawdsley, Mr. C. B. Wood, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Crumb, and Professor and Mrs. F. G. C. Wood.

# *Joan Fischer Elected Pres. Of Phrateres*

• JOAN FISCHER, recently elected president of Phrateres for the term '43-'44, has outlined her future policy as "continuing to maintain the high standards and traditions of Phrateres next year."

"We hope to make the club an even more lively force on the campus if that is possible," stated Joan, who in her position as Initiation and Membership Committee Chairman before being voted to the office of president, has played a prominent role in introducing freshettes to the social life of the campus.

In second year Arts and majoring in Psychology next year, Joan plans to enter Social Service work. She was born in Red Bank, New Jersey, and has attended school in Red Bank, Los Angeles, New York, and Vancouver, where at Kitsilano High School she was Chairman of the Publicity Committee, a member of the Girl's Executive Council, and in charge of various other activities.

**BADMINTON**

In her first year at UBC she was a member of the Badminton team and first became an active member of Phrateres as Treasurer of Zeta sub-committee. She also became well-known on the campus as one of the "hitch-hiking and roller skating" freshettes.

In her second year Joan became affiliated with Alpha Phi sorority and was on the executive of the Big Sister Committee. She is at present laying plans for the Phrateres summer camp and Phrateres firesides for the beginning of next term.

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# Birds Play Lauries For Finals Saturday

## TISDALL CUP FINAL SAT'DAY

## Meet Ex-Britannia At Brockton Ovat At 3:15

• TOMORROW AFTERNOON Varsity Thunderbirds will be on the threshold of another victory if all goes according to plans. Maury McPhee is feeling a little thirsty but has nothing to drink from. Therefore he will send his boys out to bring in the Tisdall Cup at 3:15 preferably full to the brim, with blood of Ex-Britannia.

### *Schedule Still Uncertain*

The Blue and Gold have two straight victories under their belts and are confident that the third one is in the making. In the first game of the Tisdall Trophy series the boys won an uphill fight but came back with a stinging win over Ex-Byng last Saturday. Final score of that game was 27 to 6 for us, or two points for each player and one for the coach.

On the same sports menu at Brockton Oval this Saturday the Rowing Club meets Ex-Byng in the first contest of the afternoon at 3:15. This is the final of the Bell-Irving Cup series.

Nothing definite has been decided in regards to the McKechnie Cup yet. The schedule has been seriously disrupted and no one seems to know just what is going to be done about it. A meeting will be held by the B.C. Rugby Union this week end to try and iron the situation out. The lads from the campus are complaining about the shortage of time before the exams.

The way the situation stands now is that Victoria has one victory in one start, Vancouver has one victory in two starts and the 'Birds have failed to counter in their only contest.

### *UBC Has A Fighting Chance*

If Victoria were to play Varsity in the next game and win it would automatically place the cup in Victoria for another year. There is a chance that Varsity could gain the trophy by defeating Victoria twice and Vancouver once. This chance is a mathematical calculation but is considered very improbable by the experts. When the trend of events is considered beside some of the experts advice it is not advisable to score an unplayed game. You never can tell what is going to happen until the last man leaves the field.

## Inter A's Close Good Season; Bow To Higbies

• IN PROBABLY the most exciting game ever played in the King Ed. Gym certainly the most exciting played anywhere in Vancouver this year, Higbies ousted a fighting Varsity team 54-47 on Tuesday night from the finals of the V. and D. Inter A playoffs.

In Higbies, the Thunderbirds were meeting probably the most outstanding team developed in the minor leagues in recent years.

Ted Milton, coach of Higbies, had what practically amounted to an all-star teams. For his nucleus, eTd had the champion Higbie B team of 1942, who went through their schedule without the loss of a single team. He had about 50 young players to build into this team and he chose his material wisely.

This year's Higbie crew emulated the feat of their Inter B predecessors by going undefeated through their schedule. They went into the playoffs heavy favorites to win the Chris Spencer trophy, emblematic of Inter A supremacy.

The Varsity team, on the extreme other hand, was organized from those students on the campus who wished to have some form of recreation in their spare time. Bud McLeod was the man who conceived the idea of forming another UBC entry in the Inter A league i naddition to the already-well-organized Frosh outfit.

Pete McGeer voluntarily stepped down from the Senior A team to help Bud with the organization of the club. For coach was selected Demetrie Elefthery, a fifth year pre-medical student, who had formerly starred with Varsity Senior B's and coached last year at Alberta.

The team did not hang up a particularly impressive record in in the first half of the Inter A schedule, but after Christmas they really started to click .

Strengthened by new-comers Ches Pedersen and Pat Campbell, the Varsity team managed to snaffle the fourth spot in the playoffs, where they started by taking Gregory-Price, whom they hadn't beaten before in 2 straight games

In the first game of the finals, they dropped a close decision to the unbeaten Higbie team. In the seconds, however, they made people sit up and take notice, by becoming the first Inter A team to beat Higbies all year.

Higbies walked away with the next encounter, but, in the last game, played last Tuesday, the boys played heads-up ball throughout the contest to, first tie up the game, sending it into overtime, and then force the mighty Milton men into still another extra session, in which they (Varsity) finally lost, the final score being 54-47.

For a glorious finish to a fine season, the following deserve a lot of credit: Coach Demetrie Elefthery and players Bud McLeod, Pete McGeer, Bill Hooson, Don Mann, Jack Hetherington, Jim Bryant, Basil McDonnell, Pat Campbell, Ches Pedersen, Dave King, Bill Matheson, and Ollie Ostrom.

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# Sport

## *Coeds Advance To Finals; Defeat Normals 2 Straight*

• VARSITY'S CO-ED BASKETBALL team advanced to the finals by virtue of their 32-10 defeat of Normal School at the campus Wednesday night. They will now meet the winner of the Boeings-Pro-Rec series. Boeings at present lead this series one game to nil.

Varsity started out slow and did not find their stride until the second quarter. Normal kept pace with the co-eds during the first period scoring six points. Varsity's quarter time score was also six.

During the next quarter the blue and gold began to serve notice that they couldn't be trifled with as they scored seven points while holding Normal scoreless.

In the third period Varsity again held the teachers to no score as the students ran in eight points. Pauline Greer scored half the points in this quarter by sinking two foul shots and a field basket.

In the last quarter Varsity began the last period drive when they broke away from their checks time and again. Most of the Varsity scoring in this period was through solo breaks down the floor. The co-eds broke up the teachers plays continually with the result that Normal didn't score a field basket in this quarter, however, they did score four foul shots.

Top scorers for Varsity were Norma Ford and Eileen McKillop with nine points and Pauline Greer with eight.

LINE-UP:—Eileen McKillop 9, Pauline Greer 8, Betty Walton, Jackie Vance 2, Helen Matheson 4, 32.

The co-eds had previously won the first game of the semi-final series when they downed the Normal outfit at the Normal gym on Monday night by another huge score of 43-9. Pauline Greer topped the scorers that night with 14 points, followed by Helen Matheson with 11.

## • Coed Bowling

• THE ALPHA GAMS remain on top of the Inter-Sorority Bowling league by virtue of a three game victory over the DG's last Monday afternoon. Thetas are still in the second slot when they downed the Alpha Phi's three straight. The AOPi's took the odd game from the Kappas and ADPi did likewise to the Gamma Phi outfit.

The standing is to date:—

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| Alpha Gamma Delta .. | 18 | 17 | 1 |
| Kappa Alpha Theta .. | 18 | 14 | 4 |
| Kappa Kappa Gamma | 18 | 8 | 10 |
| Alpha Delta Pi ..... | 18 | 8 | 10 |
| Alpha Omicron Pi .... | 18 | 8 | 10 |
| Delta Gamma ..... | 18 | 7 | 11 |
| Gamma Phi Beta ..... | 18 | 6 | 12 |
| Alpha Phi ..... | 18 | 4 | 14 |

Asked one Forester of another: "What is a virgin forest?"

And the reply: "One that has never been axed."

—The Brunswickan.

## • Basket Banter

• IN CASE you are puzzling over the name Rosnyk in the Laurie score figures, the gentleman is one Mike Rosnyk of the RCAF, Lauries signed him yesterday. Mike is not exactly a stranger to Vancouver basketball. He was a member, in fact the star, of the Winnipeg St. Andrew's outfit that played the Thunderbird wonder team of 1941 in the Western Canada finals . . . Wednesday's game was the roughest of the season. A total of 43 fouls were called by referees Gummy Leach and Ted Milton, 23 of them on Lauries. When the game ended, three of the eight men Lauries brought out were off the floor on fouls and three more were playing under the handicap of three personals apiece. Another act of skullduggery by any one of these three end Lauries would have been forced to play a man short . . . During the first quarter of the basketball game, after about five minutes had passed, it was found that no one had been keeping time. After a hurried consultation between the referees, M. L. Van Vliet and Laurie Liddle, it was decided to continue the game on the assumption that five minutes had passed . . . For his last few games, since returning from his enforced vacation with Mr. Mumps, guard Art Johnson has been switched to a forward spot, the position he held down last year.

A little moron pushed a cow over a cliff so he could hear the Jersey Bounce.

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"B" company has a man that is so big that his uniform actually fits him.

• THANKS TO A WELL-EARNED victory, 50-31 over Lauries last Wednesday in the Varsity gym, our Thunderbirds have an excellent chance to advance to the finals of the V. and D. league playoffs. The boys can do this by repeating their victory over the Pie-men in a game tomorrow

Wednesday night, the 'Birds turned in one of their better performances. They had control of the contest throughout, scoring the first basket of the game after half a minute of play, and at no point after the first quarter, in which they led all the way, was their lead less than six points.

Varsity got most of their points through set-ups and well-worked-out run-and-block plays. There was nothing fluky about any of their baskets. They earned every one through their scrappy play and alert, snappy ball-handling.

Lauries, on the other hand, executed very few plays. They were checked up so closely by the collegians that most of their shots were taken from near-centre. The pie-men play the most effective game where they can move the ball in close to the bucket and then through generous use of their usually high-scoring centre, Arnie Bumstead, garner their points from close in.

Wednesday, though the Thunderbirds in general, and tall Gordie Sykes, (who checked Bumstead) in particular, bottled the pie-men up so efectively, so that there was no doubt at any time about the outcome.

As proof of this brilliant piece of analysis, the score sheet reveals that Lauries out-shot our boys 76 to 56. Therefore, the only way Varsity could win would be to make sure of all of their attempted shots and to cut to a meagre percentage, by close checking, the chance Lauries had of making their shots. This is exactly what happened.

Varsity took off with a 15-9 lead in the first quarter and augmented their margin by six points in the second quarter to lead at the half 26-14. At the end of the third quarter, the score stood Varsity 38 Lauries 20. They slowed down the pace somewhat in the last session, but still increased their lead 1 point to finish with an even 19 point edge.

**HERE ARE THE SCORES:**

**VARSITY—Robertson 18, Barton 7, Franklin 10, Johnson 3, Sykes 4, Stilwell 6, Bakken, Yorke 2, Hayward. Total—50.**

**LAURIES—Rosnyk 2, Bumstead 6, Harvey 3, Pugsley 2, Hillman7, Tostenson 3, Cavallin 1, Spencer 7. Total—31.**

## • Intra Murals

**TOUCH FOOTBALL**

**Monday, March 8—**
12:30 Phi Kappa Sigs vs. Omicrons.
Kappa Sig vs. Xi Omega.

**Tuesday, March 9—**
12:30 Gamma vs. Pi Kappa Pi. Beta vs. Lambda.

**Wednesday, March 10—**
12:30 Phi Gamma Delts vs. the winner of the Kappa Sig, Omicron game.

**BASKETBALL**

**Tuesday, March 9—**
7:00 Phi Kappa Sigma vs. Delta Upsilon.
7:45 Phi Gamma Delta vs. Phi Delta Theta.
8:30 Gammas vs. Anglican.

**Wednesday, March 10—**
12:30 Eagles vs. Sigma Phi Delta.

**Friday, March 12—**
12:30 Psi Upsilon vs. Sons of the Golden Heel.

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