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## Albertans to Meet Varsity

### GAMES SCHEDULED FOR WEDNESDAY

The Canadian Rugby team of the University of Alberta will arrive in Vancouver on the morning of Wednesday, Nov. 21, to commence their two-game play-off with U. B. C. The boys from Edmonton will be billeted at the fraternity houses and homes of students during their stay here.

The U. of A. has lost only two games so far this season, so the play-off should be a top-notch in the Dominion football annals. They bring with them Frank Hess, one of Canada's outstanding halfbacks, who can reputedly outkick "Cookie" Shields, whose toe is a legend in B. C. It is interesting to note that Frank Hess scored twelve out of twelve points against the University of Saskatchewan last Saturday.

On Wednesday they will lunch at the University Cafeteria as guests of the Varsity club, and during the noon hour will be present at a football rally in the Auditorium. If the visiting gridlers so desire, they will attend the track meet on Wednesday evening, the basketball dance Friday night and the Arts '33 Tea Dance after the game Saturday afternoon.

## Pertinent Particles From the P.I.P.A.

Several questions relating to College Journalism were discussed at the recent conference of the Pacific Inter-collegiate Press Association, according to word received from King Kilkin, Secretary-Treasurer of the Association. This year the annual conference was held in Berkeley, California. Excerpts from the report of the conference follow:

"There occurred a discussion of the publication in college newspapers of campus scandals. It was pointed out that publication of these matters was justified. Metropolitan and town newspapers will print them sooner or later and it is far better that the facts be recorded in a conservative and truthful fashion first by the campus newspaper. Another opinion was that stories, relatively unimportant and calculated to injure a person's reputation should be disregarded."

"It was decided that the central office of the Association at Berkeley be made a business office as well as a news office, and that the Executive-Secretary, whenever possible solicit accounts for all member papers."

"It was moved, seconded and carried that the Pacific Intercollegiate Press Association go on record as opposing attempts of the governing bodies of student associations to dictate the policies of student newspapers. The resolution adopted follows: 'It is the belief of the Pacific Intercollegiate Press Association that student newspapers are the organs of student self-government and not organs of the elected representatives of the students. It decries attempts of student executive committees and councils to dictate to student editors the policies of their editorial columns. It believes that the editorial column should reflect the opinion of the editor and not the opinion of any other individual or group of individuals.'"

"Moved, seconded and carried, that the P. I. P. be given fifteen percent commission on all advertising sold by it for member papers, ten percent to go to the Association treasury, five percent to be given to the solicitor."

"Moved, seconded and carried that the P.I.P. deplores the election of college newspaper editors by popular vote of staffs or student bodies, as being a method of selection likely to foster inefficiency through favoritism and politics."

"Moved, seconded and carried that the P.I.P. go on record as favoring the appointment of editors by their predecessors, with ratification by an editorial board composed of executive members of the staffs, and the selection of men on the basis of (1) Personal ability and good judgment; (2) Record of service; and (3) Ability to secure the co-operation of the staff."

## Shakespearian Actor Addresses Students

Archibald Flower of the Stratford-on-Avon Company addressed members of the student body Wednesday noon in Ap. No. 100. The lecture formed part of the program adopted by the Literary and Scientific executive this year of securing speakers of note to come before the students.

Dr. Sedgewick, in introducing the speaker, reminded his audience of the infrequency with which they see Shakespeare well played in Vancouver, and of the opportunity now to see authoritative presentations.

Mr. Flower first described the Stratford theatre, which is endowed and is unique in being the only theatre in the British empire to operate under a royal charter. It is in no sense a commercial undertaking; contributions to it are entirely voluntary and no one derives a profit.

The aim of the Stratford Players is to star William Shakespeare, and not individual actors or costumes or scenery. Thus in coming almost directly under the influence of Shakespeare the actors require a sense of team play and learn to sink their own egotism for the good of the whole. This is illustrated by John Hayes who in "Hamlet" takes the much-coveted leading part, but in "The Merry Wives of Windsor" is content to do his bit in the obscure role of Dr. Cains.

Today it is difficult to obtain actors who can speak with a correct diction, and yet who give the rhythm of Shakespeare's lines. The present fashion in the theatre for naturalness in speech has been obtained in many cases at the expense of distinctness. With the Stratford Players, however, it has been a particular aim to secure both distinctness and naturalness.

Shakespeare knew more about stage craft than he is usually given credit for, stated Mr. Flower. He was really a wizard in planning the sequence of scenes in his plays so that the stage settings would come in the most natural order. One reason for Shakespeare's universal appeal is his knowledge of a wide variety of subjects. People whose tastes range from horses to golf, find that he possessed a sympathetic understanding and keen appreciation. If one is inclined to be sceptical of the latter instance, what could be more conclusive proof than the quotation "cursed be the hand that cut these holes."

In closing, Mr. Flower explained that one of the chief missions of the Stratford Players is to spread a knowledge of Shakespeare amongst the average people. To accomplish such an end and to dispel the illusion of many that Shakespeare is a bore, they are concentrating on his comedies.

## MUSICAL SOCIETY ARRANGES RECITAL FOR THURSDAY

Music lovers will learn with pleasure of the noon hour recital to be given next Thursday in the Auditorium under the Auspices of the Musical Society of the University. The programme has been made possible by the generosity of the following artists: Miss Beth Abernethy (Violinist), Miss Janice Bridgman (Messo-Soprano), Mr. Ira Swarts (Pianist). These musicians who are interested in the work of the Society in fostering music at the University have kindly consented to give this recital which will be open free to all students. The programme which will be announced in next week's "Ubysssey" includes Brahms' Sonata in A Major, a group of songs, and piano selections from the composers, Muskowsky, Schubert-Godowsky, and Rachmaninoff.

### Tickets for Christmas Plays

Student tickets for Christmas Plays will be issued on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, November 19 to 22. First, second, third and fourth Arts in Auditorium lobby; all other classes in Science, Agriculture, Nursing and Education at Auditorium box-office.

## Honored Member of Faculty Passes

On Thursday the 15th inst, there passed away, Prof. Henri Chodat, Associate Professor of French at the University of British Columbia. Mr. Chodat was 51 years of age and had spent 22 years in the work of teaching in this Province.

Born in Switzerland, he came as a young man to Canada and entered McGill University, from which he graduated in 1905. Shortly after his graduation Mr. Chodat, on the recommendation of the Department of French, was appointed Professor of French in McGill, University College of British Columbia, and, except for a period of post-graduate study, he has been engaged in teaching French language and literature in this Province ever since.

The late Mr. Chodat, whose native language was French, was a most successful teacher, and has done much to aid the standard of French education in the Province. He was, throughout his life, a most devoted and earnest student, with a keen and just appreciation of literature, English as well as French and German. He was most successful in impressing his ideals of scholarship on his students. The University, as a whole, and the Modern Language Department particularly, feels deeply the loss of an enthusiastic worker, and most loyal colleague.

Mr. Chodat returned for post-graduate work to McGill University from which he obtained the degree of M. A., at a later period of his career he spent a year of study at Harvard from which he obtained the degree of M.A. Later he studied for a year in Paris and only a few months ago received from the French Government a recognition of the work he had done in French language and literature, the decoration of "Officier d'Academie."

As a young man, Mr. Chodat excelled in athletic exercises, was fond of camping and outdoor life and usually spent his vacation at Gibson's Landing, where he enjoyed to the full the sport of rowing and fishing.

The late Professor was highly esteemed by all his colleagues, and his premature removal is deeply regretted by them. He is survived by his widow, two sons and a daughter, with whom deep sympathy is felt by their many friends.

Mr. Chodat was a member of the Presbyterian Church, and latterly of the United Church of Canada, being connected formerly with Chalmers United Church and with Knox United Church of Kerrisdale.

The funeral will be held on Saturday, the 17th inst., at 11 o'clock from Mount Pleasant Undertaking Parlors and it has been arranged by Dean Brock, the acting president of the University, that all classes for Saturday morning shall be cancelled to permit Faculty and Students to attend.

## Lectures Cancelled

To enable members of the University of B. C. to attend the Canadian Rugby football match for the Western Inter-Collegiate Championship, lectures and laboratories will be cancelled in the afternoon of Wednesday, Nov. 21.

R. W. Brook, Acting President

### Dr. Sage to Address Canadian Club

Dr. W. N. Sage will deliver a lecture on "Sir James Douglas and British Columbia" under the auspices of the Canadian Club of Vancouver, on Monday evening, November 19th, at 8:15 o'clock, in the lower dining hall of the Hotel Vancouver.

The Canadian Club invites students of the University to this lecture.

## Varsity Senior "A" Hoopsters Gain Victory Over Province

### U. B. C. SCORES 27-20 DESPITE WEAKENED TEAM

Varsity's Senior A basketball team started after its second championship when it defeated the strong Province squad 27-20 on Wednesday night. The victory was a surprise to many as Varsity presented a weakened team with Straight out with a twisted knee and Henderson just recovering from a bad cold.

Varsity started off with Mayers and Horton at forward, MacDonald and McEwen, guards and Henderson going centre. This combination seemed to work well, Henderson getting most of the tip-offs and starting the play off. Province had its last years' line-up of Hall, Moffat, Henry, Barbine, Bryson and Newcombe with the addition of Bill Thompson of last year's Varsity team.

## Intellectuals Discuss American Dramatist

"Eugene O'Neill is the greatest of American Dramatists and has great possibilities as a future writer," declared Stewart Reid when he gave a paper on Eugene O'Neill at a meeting of the Letters Club, Tuesday night. The meeting was held at the home of Prof. and Mrs. F. G. C. Wood, Western Parkway.

"This author is most powerful in tragedy," said the speaker. "He portrays feeling and passion in facing the vital problems of life, and is in conception a giant."

Paying tribute to the author's love of truth and his straight-forward manner of writing, Mr. Reid excused the lack of humor in O'Neill's work because of his earnestness, and his "almost fierce vigor." "O'Neill is an artist with a high aim," he said.

Mr. Reid dealt with the author's life, showing how his wandering experiences and sea-life had influenced his work. "Actual experiences," he said, "are at the root of O'Neill's plays."

Prof. T. Larsen, honorary president of the Club, criticised the paper and paid tribute to the arrangement of material.

The statement "that O'Neill gives promise of being the Shakespeare of America" caused much discussion at the conclusion of the paper, as did the claim that O'Neill lacked humor as a result of his earnestness.

Plays of the author which received special consideration were: "Beyond the Horizon," "Anna Christie," "The Hairy Ape," "The Great God Brown," "Strange Interlude."

## Many Track Stars Will Feature At Meet

The big drawing card of the annual indoor track meet this year is Percy Williams who is to run 50 yards. This will provide an excellent opportunity for seeing the Vancouver flash in action and a treat is in store for all.

A new innovation this year will be the inclusion of several events for women. This is the first year in which women have been allowed to compete in the indoor track meet and will probably produce a surprise with their ability on the cinder path.

In order to be more central, the meet this year is to be held in the downtown Horse-Show Building and a record crowd will consequently be expected. As usual the meet will be conceded to the Freshmen, although Arts '31, winners of last years' meet will be out in full force.

The program this year includes many events in which a great number of stars will be competing. In the sprints are: Williams, Gaul and Harvey. The 220 and 440 will bring forth such stars as Thornbur, Roberts, Terry, while the 880 will include Chappell, Dunn, Selby, and Root. The longer events such as the mile, will feature Selby, Dunn, Chappell, Hammitt, and Terry. Although in the past the pole-vaulters have been rather weak, Dirom, Alpen and Root are out to set a new mark. Shields and several others are again competing for the broad-jump which is expected to furnish more thrills. New heights will be reached when Chappell, Thornbur and Fell leave the terra firma (Continued on Page 4)

Neither side played a particularly fast game, both passing around in mid floor waiting for the breaks. Province had the edge in the first half and for a while it looked like a win for the "newsies". Hall was shooting them in from all angles and his team was combining well, running in 18 points. Varsity took a while to get going, but chalked up 13 points before the whistle, chiefly on the work of Mayers and MacDonald.

In the second half Varsity showed a renewal of form and ran in 14 counters to Province's 2. The old combination got working again and it could not be stopped. The whole team was combining well and working the ball in close, where Mayers, Henderson, or MacDonald dropped it through the loop. Cole gave the new men Nicholson, McKenzie, Chapman and Ackerley a chance to show their stuff and with a little more training they should round out into Senior A timbers.

The game was a rough one, 44 fouls being called, with Province the offender for 16 of them. Mayers had his eye trained on the basket and sank 7 out of 12 of these free shots. Besides these he sank 3 field baskets for an individual total of 13. Wally is hitting his stride now and is about the hardest man to stop in the league.

Henderson at centre did good work directing the team and breaking up Province's rushes, besides making 4 points. MacDonald at guard is much improved over last year and is going better every time out. He held his check well and ran in eight points on his own. McEwen at guard turned in a good game as did young Horton, who was showing his right to a regular forward position. The team as a whole looks good for its second consecutive championship.

The teams:—Province: Hall (11), Moffat (2), Henry (1), Barbine (2), Newcombe (4), Bryson and Thompson Varsity: Mayers (13), Henderson (4), McEwen (2), Macdonald (2), Horton Nicholson, Mackenzie, Chapman and Ackerley.

## VARSITY TO MEET FIREMEN IN MILLER CUP GAME

The fifteen players who will wear the blue and gold in the English Rugby game against the Firemen, which is scheduled for 2 o'clock Saturday at Brockton Point, have not yet been chosen. It is expected, however, that the team will be much the same as the combination which defeated Edmonton on Thanksgiving. If so, Varsity should have little difficulty in bettering, by a win, its standing in the Miller Cup series.

The Firemen are a heavier team who play a hard tacking, rushing game, the forwards packing around the scrum and using their weight to advantage. On a wet, sloppy day, a condition which is not unlikely, the Firefighters are a hard team to down. However, the U.B.C. squad are hoping that there will be fine weather on Saturday, ensuring firm turf on the oval. This will give the faster college team a decided edge over the heavier but slower Firemen. Rain or shine the game will be an exciting tussle with plenty of thrills.

After the smoke has cleared and the bones and gore from the Varsity-Firemen battle swept away the league leaders, Meralomas and Ex-King George will meet. This promises to be a great game as the teams are very evenly matched, each having an enviable record. This double header is expected to draw a large crowd of rugby fans.

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## LOOK BEFORE YOU LEAP

Now that the first term at University is well under way, several men and women students will probably be receiving invitations to join fraternities and sororities. Those invited to join will do well to consider seriously before accepting any such invitations.

Exclusive and secret organizations have a glamour attached to them which may appear attractive on the surface, and no doubt the social advantages of "brotherhoods" are not to be scorned. The fact that in such an organization it is possible for a congenial group of young people to gather on the basis of friendship, unhampered by the inevitable clashing interests of a wider group, is a benefit not to be ignored.

On the other hand, the varied interests of the wider group are bound to meet somewhere, sometime. It is for the individual to decide whether it would be better to meet and understand as equal friends, the representatives of varied interests in the beginning, or to ignore these interest until the inevitable meeting occurs. Unquestionably the influence of fraternities and sororities tends to promote specialized friendship at the expense of general friendship. This is simply because the interests and ideals of non-fraternity people do not receive the same natural consideration that is given to those of fraternity members, as a result of closer contact between members within the organization. Moreover, individuals outside these organizations can not give fraternity members the same consideration that they give to one another when they are prevented from so doing by an artificial barrier of reserve.

Before joining a fraternity or sorority, prospective members should ask themselves if by so doing they are really promoting friendship in the aggregate. Perhaps as individuals they will feel the world is too large a place in which to let their friendship run riot, or perhaps they will feel their friendship is too big to be clothed by an exclusive artificial organization.

At any rate the individual must dispose of his own friendship, whether he be in a fraternity or not. The question is, will the fraternity help more than it will hamper him?

—M. D.

## COMMON COURTESY

We do not always wish to be pointing out to the students matters of common politeness, as we ourselves do not pretend to be a walking book of etiquette. Nevertheless it does seem necessary to ask once more that the members of the student body repay the courtesy of visiting lecturers at the University by a like courtesy in permitting them to give their address without disturbance. Twice this term we have been fortunate in having special addresses from interesting visitors, and each time there has been neither a full attendance nor punctuality. The sponsors of these lectures make it perfectly clear that they are scheduled for noon time, but even so there is continual interruption. Visitors must indeed question the manners of the U. B. C. students, as they watch people either file into the room the whole time they are speaking, or else listen to continuous thumping on the door if someone has had the presence of mind to lock it. We hope in future that students will refrain from the discourtesy displayed in the past.

## Council Must Know of Functions

Applications must be made to the Students' Council by all classes and organizations on the campus desiring to hold functions. These applications, stating all particulars as to time, place and expenses, must be received at least two weeks before the function. If formal applications are not made Council has the privilege of cancelling the function.

## W. U. S. WILL HOLD BRIDGE

The Women's Undergraduate Society will hold a bridge at the Winter Gardens on Saturday, November 17, at three o'clock. Proceeds will go to the fund for the Women's Union Building. All women students are urged to attend.

## INTERNATIONAL CLUB

The Czech-Slovakian Consul will address the International Club at its next meeting to be held on Wednesday, November 21, at the home of Dean Bollert, 1185, 10th Avenue West. Members are asked to come armed with questions about the country and to be prepared to take part in the discussion which will follow the address.

## Musical Society Stages Successful Party

Under the patronage of Mr. and Mrs. C. Haydn Williams, the Musical Society held their annual party at Killarney on Wednesday evening. There were a gratifying number present and a more successful celebration has rarely been held by the Society. Thanks to the combined efforts of Frances MacDonald, Evelyn Anderton, Talosa Timmins, Earl Hollonquist and R. B. Lucas, the dancers lacked little in the way of music.

Later in the evening, Sid. Bowman, master of ceremonies, arranged with the help of Lily Dobson, a very amusing contest. Pinned along the walls, in numerical order, were pictures, each representing a well-known song. After fifteen minutes of keen mental concentration, the outcome was that Muriel Crawford and her partner L. S. Swannell won, having guessed the greatest number correctly. They were rewarded with suitable prizes.

At eleven o'clock, volunteers carried round refreshments and after a few more dances, considerably livened by Mr. Williams playing the saxophone, the members dispersed, more than pleased with the evening.

## Class and Club Notes

### INTER-CLASS DEBATES

The subject for the Arts '31-'32 Women's debate to be held on Wednesday, November 21 is, "Resolved that it was more pleasant to live in Elizabethan London than in present day Vancouver." This will be the first of the inter-class debates held during the year. Arts '31 will be represented by Margaret Muirhead and Betty Moore, and Arts '32 by Isobel Beacoby and Edith Sturdy.

### LETTERS CLUB

The original contributions evening will be held on Monday, November 26, at the home of Mrs. H. F. Angus. All contributions must be in the hands of the Secretary not later than Monday noon of November 26. The names of contributors in a sealed envelope must accompany contributions, and the name of the person to read the paper must be mentioned by the contributor.

### PHILOSOPHY DISCUSSION CLUB

A meeting of the Philosophy Discussion Club will be held on Tuesday, November 20, at 7:45, at the home of Miss Evelyn Cliff, 1484-36th Avenue, East.

Take No. 10 Car to 55th Avenue; walk half a block south and two blocks west.

The programme will take the form of a novelty: "I've Got Your Number." New members will please attend. See letter-racks for individual notices.

### PHYSICS CLUB

A successful meeting of the Physics Club was held on Wednesday at 3 p.m. A paper on "Welding with Flames of Atomic Hydrogen" was given by A. C. Young, and another on the "Images of an Object under water" by Dr. Hennings. A problem in perpetual motion was presented by M. H. Hebb. Each paper was followed by an interesting discussion.

### VARSITY CHRISTIAN UNION

The V. C. U. was addressed on Nov. 15 by the Messrs. E. and R. Bingham, who are conducting evangelical services in this city. The main subject dealt with the opportunity which we have as students for Christian service. There can be no higher ideal of life than that of true Christianity which seeks to tell others of Christ, and in this service one is not confined to any narrow or limited field. Both speakers emphasized that we should lay a firm foundation for such a work while there is still the opportunity.

Rev. Norman Baker will address students at a meeting of the Varsity Christian Union on Monday, in Arts 204 at 2:10 o'clock. Rev. Baker is a graduate of this University and was captain of the champion soccer team in 1923. The subject of his address will be: "Christ and the Church."

Prof: Can you prove that the square of the hypotenuse is equal to the sum of the squares of the other two sides of this triangle?

Stude: I don't have to prove it; I admit it. —Ex.

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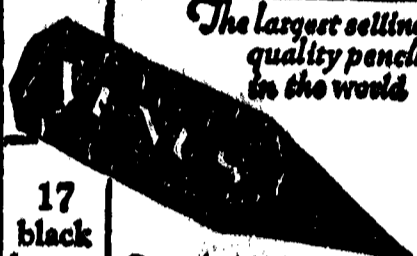
## DENTIST Dr. W. E. Alexander

Dr. W. E. Alexander wishes to announce that he will be available to the Students of the U.B.C. for dental work at his evening office at the corner of Tenth Avenue and Sasamat, above the Vancouver Drug Store. This should prove of great convenience to the students. Dr. Alexander will be at his office late afternoons and evenings. He also wishes to say that his work is guaranteed and that he is prepared to offer very special rates to University students. Remember! Just at the end of the bus line.  
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## Correspondence

Feature Editor:  
Dear Sir:  
I herewith submit a belated book-review of an interesting and boring Science book:  
"A Text-book of Modern Science"—  
Dr. Badley Dunn (Stodder & Houghton, \$9.50) is one of the most remarkable scientific books ever published. It is a marvellous contribution to contemporary thought. The discerning reader will realize that the author is well qualified to express opinions on his subjects. Some excerpts follow:  
Qualitative Analysis: (1) Dissolve as much of a powder as you can get on a coin in exactly 10 c.c. of cold water. Pour suddenly into a white-hot crucible. If the crucible breaks, proceed with the next experiment, as crucibles are hard to get.  
Exp. (2)—Dissolve a large piece of silver (about 17 lbs.) in strong acid (stronger acid is preferable). Add two litres of platinum chloride, and pour down the sink. A slight noise from the chemistry department indicates the presence of Mr. Allardyce.  
Confirmatory test for Mr. Allardyce: Mix up the weights in the balance-room.

Classic Experiment of Descartes—  
Into a carefully dried and weighed beaker, pour drop by drop 100 c.c. of distilled water. Boil until all is evaporated. Reweigh, and if any difference in weight is noted, bear in mind that this is strictly confidential.  
Testing a Galvanometer—Apply a 200-volt P.D. across the terminals. A cloud of light blue smoke, accompanied by the smell of burning silk, will show that you have ruined the instrument to a very high order of accuracy. If no smoke appears, the galvanometer was burned out anyway so that nothing has been lost.  
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## NEWSMAN TRAILS CHINESE MENACE



The Black Thumbprint

A muffled figure in a tall silk hat crouched in a doorway in Pekin Alley, the most mysterious street in Chinatown.  
Here and there shadowy figures fitted past, while in the distance passed a long chain of yelling savages celebrating a Theatre Night. A long low limousine flashed by, bearing Shue Moy resplendent in a red necktie.  
The muffled figure glanced at his watch as the stroke of midnight boomed from a nearby clock. He was none other than Oscar Scribblewell disguised as a gentleman.  
So this was 1313 Pekin Alley. As he watched the sinister doorway, two stealthy figures crept behind him from a nearby alley. Both were hooded, and one carried a sand-bag, while the other bore a sack and a coil of rope.  
Scribblewell bent down to look through the keyhole, as is customary with special Ubysey reporters. A muffled thud, a myriad of stars, a groan and black unconsciousness overwhelmed him!

Episode 5%



Oscar Scribblewell

Oscar Scribblewell opened his eyes and felt like a fraternity pledge the morning after.  
Chop Suey, Fan-tan and other perfumes of the mystic East were wafted to his rapidly returning senses, and he could vaguely discern a scene of Oriental Splendour.  
"The Thoth Club!" he murmured confusedly.  
He became aware of a tall figure clad in yellow robe and a B.A. hood standing over him.  
"So you are waking up," said his captor. "Pretty good for a Science man. Do you know who I am?"  
"I'll bite," replied the reporter gloomily.  
"I am Dr. Chang Suey, B.A., Ph.D., B.V.D., S.O.S., of Canton University," was the reply. "I am the Chinese Napoleon, Mussolini. In my laudible ambition to conquer the world I used my vast



Chang Suey

secret organisation to avail myself of the Time Transformer. But you have crossed my path. You must die—unless you bring me the antidote when it is invented."

## KANDID KONFESSIONS

I am a Canadian Rugby player. I play not only quarter-back but all those difficult positions of way-back, draw-back and horse-back. To the uninitiate in Canadian Rugby the term "horse-back" may sound queer but to those who really know, it's the place where the bucks come in.  
At my first practise I donned a pair of padded plus-fours, a yoke on my shoulders to protect me from getting a cold in the neck and a helmet like an inverted soup bowl, that contained holes for breathing and seeing. "Now," said the coach, after I had dressed, "tear onto the grid and smear a couple fellows. Show me how you can tackle."  
"Yes, sir," I replied, determined not to be bewildered by this technical jargon, "you want me to tear onto the grid and smear a couple fellows and show you how I can tackle."  
"Yes," answered the coach.  
"Oh," said I, "you want me to—"  
"That's enough of that!" yelled the coach. "You're a player not a cheering squad."  
That incident just goes to show how quick I am at picking up things (not necessarily my own). Well I went out to the field and took my place in the lines where two groups of men knelt facing one another. "What a hard game," I thought to myself, "They're too tired to stand."  
Then someone start chattering "66, 44, 71, 58—"  
"Wait!" I shouted, "I can't add that fast." But no one paid any attention, instead a player in the opposing line reached out with his hand and sat me down. A most ungentlemanly procedure since he did not even warn me.  
In the next down I pushed him in the face. This went on for two hours until I became irritated and told the referee that a fellow whom I had never seen before was trying to pick a fight. The ref. waved me from the field but I knew I had won the fight since the other fellow wouldn't stand up to me.  
Well, anyways, I turned out for a lot of practises so as to make the "Large Four" team. I always steeled myself with the resolve to get a letter. I became so good at the game that they let me help with the reports on the "Ubysey." All those periods you see at the end of the sentences are mine, because I wrote them all. As for the games, themselves, I had to quit because I had received my letter. It was not for rugby but from the Dean.

## Kampus Krax

We maintain that "Chesterfield Rugby" should be made a major sport since it played in such an engaging way.

Mabel McGillicuddy thinks that Canadian Rugby is effeminate because she heard some one yell, "They got the rouge!"

As we have explained before, Prosepsina, the Lipton Cup, was not made for tea drinking.

The new cigarette-butt song, "The Gathering of the Clan."

Mr. T. Keeling: "May I ask where you are going?"  
Mr. M. Pretty (After a heavy gym work-out): "Sir, I am muscle-bound."

Vile Pun No. 8673: "Almost every night my daughter has her Boadicea."

And No. 8674: "Oh! Wood is me!" cried the Briton.

"Never," shouted Scribblewell in ringing tones.

"Then my dear friend, I must persuade you," continued Chang Suey, calmly. "You know what a Varsity initiation can be. Well, I have a torture known as the Thousand Delights as used in the Canton University. I will bring it to you."  
The Chinese doctor clapped his hands to summon his attendants.

"Bring on the Thousand Delights," he murmured in honeyed tones.  
(To be continued.)

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**Sportorial**

Once again we doff our hats to the Canadian Rugby team. The hardest working athletic organization on the campus has for the second time put their senior team through the Big Four Championship, but this time with an unbreakable record of six clean victories and not a single loss. More than that—they have brought about a Canadian inter-collegiate play-off with the University of Alberta for the championship of Western Colleges. This is a worth-while achievement, not merely because it is the first tangle of the year with any other university in any sport, but also because U. B. C. enters for the first time in inter-collegiate play-offs in what is the leading game of Toronto, McGill and Queens.

It is to be our good fortune and pleasure next week to play the part of hosts to the rugby team of our neighboring college, the University of Alberta. This is our chance to make the brand of U. B. C. hospitality of traditional high quality. Fraternities and private persons will be asked to assist in providing housing facilities for the visitors, and a program of entertainment is being arranged in their honor.

Varsity is scheduled to meet these prairie champions in two games, on Nov. 21 and Nov. 24. A share of the expense in bringing this team to the Coast has been undertaken by the Alma Mater Society following the decision of the Students' Council. This means that in order to meet this expense and to ensure further inter-collegiate events in the future, Varsity is going to turn out to both games in full force. What's more, the "Blue and Gold" are going to show these prairie people just how we yell in B. C. The etiquette of true sportmanship will be followed and every student will be expected to cheer for Alberta when the occasion arises. Students are reminded that such things as heckling and cheering when the opposition is given a penalty will be absolutely irrelevant.

**HOPE IS DISPLAYED FOR SOCCER**

Next Saturday Varsity's struggling Second Soccerites will be stacked up against the league leading Hastings Athletic crew.

The college pig-skin chasers have not as yet turned in a win, but, nevertheless, they have played some fine games, and ill-luck seems to have fastened on to their trail.

To-morrow, according to form, the Blue and Gold squad do not have much chance against such formidable opponents. Nevertheless the team will enter the game determined to win and can be counted on to give their lofty opponents a run for their points. The team has not yet been decided on but all the battle-scarred veterans, such as England, Miles, Sandersen and McKellar will be on hand.

**Anglican College Again Victorious in Beecher Cup Race**

Last Monday the track team of the Anglican Theological College distinguished itself by winning the Beecher Cup for the annual five-mile race at Hastings Park. Members of the team were Hammett, Thain, King, Cockburn, Ward, Hughes, and Kinley. This is the same team that chased Science to the winning-post in the recent Arts '30 race, beating the Arts men by four points. The cup will be presented at a meeting next Wednesday night, when the trophies for the Anglican meet are to be distributed.

**WOMEN ATHLETES ATTENTION!**

Women's events in the Indoor Track Meet to be held November 21 are High Jump, hundred yards dash and relay. Teams for the relay will be entered by each year. All those wishing to take part or who could be prevailed upon to take part, should see their athletic representatives immediately and should sign the notice on the Arts noticeboard.

**WOMEN'S GRASS HOCKEY TO MEET NORMAL**

Varsity's women's grass hockey team will clash with Normal on Saturday morning at Connaught Park at 8:45 in the last league game of the year. Varsity has made a good showing so far and ought to win tomorrow. Next Wednesday afternoon at 4 p.m. they meet North Van. in a practice match at Connaught Park.

**DEBATING UNION**

The meeting of the Disarmament Committee has been postponed till one week from to-day. This course has been adopted by the Executive of the Debating Union in order that the members of the Union shall have adequate time to prepare for the meeting. The regular meeting of the Union will take place on Monday at three o'clock in Arts 100.

**PUCK CHASERS PREDICT PEPPY PROGRAM**

The Ice Hockey Club is off to a good start this year. A team is entered in the Vancouver Amateur Ice Hockey League and the chances of Varsity coming out on top are better than they have been since 1921, that memorable year when the B. C. Championship was captured.

There are about twenty men turning out this year and they are all fairly good, in the opinion of Bill Selders, coach and president of the club. Competition is keen for the position of goalie with such men out as Willis, who learned the game in Regina, Lalonde of Vancouver and Selders who played in Port Arthur. For the two defense positions there are four good men out, Rhodes who hails from Victoria; Fisher, Callen and Macdonald, who used the stick on the prairie. Of these the last two are good. Among the forwards there are five men outstanding, Carswell, Gittus, both from the prairie; Nollie, Smith and Simonds. The first game of the season will be on December 10.

**News and Views from Other U's**

**NOON Bally.**

Shortly after one o'clock on Tuesday the Arts building was the scene of the most unusual fights known in the annals of McGill, when the R.V.C. Sophomores administered punishment to Freshettes who refused to wear the badges of their station. Just before the close of the English lecture the enemy lay in wait armed with stern resolve, a number of sponges, and a pail of water. Members of the opposite sex, anticipating fun, gathered in a crowd behind the fair ones and waited expectantly. The first Freshie to come through the door, being minus her bib, received a sponge in the face and a kick in the rear. The insulting treatment was too much and the hold freshie showed her indignation in the usual girlish fashion. She was quickly subdued but a few of her compatriots who followed were not so easily finished. One poor maiden in particular being minus bib, black stockings, and wearing much extra complexion, was the object of Sophomores wrath. The fight was short but fierce and the poor girl emerged an utter wreck.

When all the Freshies had passed the waiting line they were forced to proceed en masse towards the gates, singing a quavering "James McGill!" Here they were stopped and ordered to give the McGill yell before dispersing. Gentlemen sympathisers, however who had been trailing along behind decided to come to the aid of their unfortunate lady friends and with a mighty shove they drove the weak ones ahead of them into the street.

**The Manitoban.**

The co-ed athletic organizations are invited to join The Manitoban in making this year one of great success for the woman athletes. A certain portion of the sports page will hereafter be devoted to women's athletics. This means that the editor must have the whole-hearted support of the organizations. It is advised that each athletic council elect one of its members to post everything of interest in "The Manitoban." Schedules, notices of practices, and games are welcomed, and any inter-year games, etc., such as might be played will receive the same attention.

By whole-hearted co-operation we will be able to make this a banner year in girls' athletics; so let's go, girls.

**The Stanford Daily.**

Definite action toward the rehabilitation of the honor system at Stanford has been taken by the Men's and Women's Councils, who have decided that the honor spirit applies only to the conduct in examinations or in any work that is used as a basis for grading—meaning "no cheating"—and does not apply to personal conduct on or off the campus.

The councils further decided that any student reported to them and found guilty of violation of the honor system would be dismissed from the university and that their names, heretofore not disclosed, would be published in "The Stanford Daily."

The system has received such consideration by the university authorities this quarter, and a committee of seven students has been appointed to see if it can be improved or if it should be abolished altogether and the former method of "faculty police" be reinstated.

**"Whoopes"**

Doctor: "I'm afraid I have bad news for you. You will never be able to work again."

College Student: "Whadda you mean, bad news?—Ex."

Mussolini says the press of his country is the freest in the whole world. He means they have never charged him space rates yet.—Ex.

**De Campus**

We notice that a correspondent has brought up the never-settled subject of gowns. He says the advantages of wearing a gown are intangible but strong. While admitting the latter we beg to correct him on the former score. The academic gown is of considerable use in saving the wear on one's clothes besides being of use for polishing one's shoes or wiping pens. Professors have been known to use them for cleaning blackboards even.

Our correspondent says that the gown would distinguish the upper years from the Freshmen. This certainly is not the case. There is no regulation against the first year students wearing gowns, and if they were encouraged to wear them, we think it would help them to feel academic, which would go a long way toward making them actually so. We are told that gowns are compulsory at Oxford and Cambridge, this includes the Freshmen of the universities as well as the upper classmen. The years are distinguished by a tear up the back of the garment, one rent for each year. (A freshman at Cambridge is not allowed to speak to an upper year man until he is spoken to first.)

At these older universities, each college has its distinguishing mark on its gown. For instance, Trinity College, Cambridge, has a blue gown, while Selwyn College gowns are black with blue trimmings. The University of Aberdeen has bright red gowns. All the students wear these gowns of a sensible length. They vary from six inches or from below the coat tails to knee length. In this way they do not dust the stairs on descending.

We are with the correspondent of last year in hoping for more gowns, especially at meetings. Some years ago our worthy Council decided that they would appear clothed in these garments at meetings. Since then they have usually made a last minute search for gowns before the said meetings. This usually results in an average two members of the Council finally attending wearing graduates' gowns (which they have no right to do) and an average two appearing in no gown at all.

We look forward to the day when every student will wear his gown and be proud to do so.  
—CAMPUS-COMBER.

**Track Stars Meet**

(Continued from Page 1)  
in the high jump. Such huskies as Dirom, Alpen and Shields will toss the lead for greater distance and the spectators are expected to look out for a low bridge. Fell, the outstanding star of previous years, will again blossom forth in the hurdles.

The date of this mammoth outburst of athletic ability is the night of Wednesday, November 21, and those who will be present are requested to remember that it will be held in the down-town Horse-Show Building, across the street from the Ice Arena.

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