

Exam Ratios Changed

Christmas 25 pc. - May 75 pc.

New examination regulations will go into effect at U. N. B. beginning this term it was decided at the last faculty meeting. Christmas examinations will be held and will be counted as 25 per cent of the year's work with the May examinations making up the remaining 75 per cent. At the Spring examinations the student will be responsible for the year's work as a WHOLE (not necessarily the WHOLE year's work). This is a change from the 40:60 per cent ratio of former years when the examinations were based on each term's work alone.

Athletic Eligibility Rules.

The 1943 athletic eligibility rules and their revision of 1945 were rescinded by the faculty and the M. I. A. U. rules apply to students from this University without further restrictions.

Pre-Med Smoker Successful

The first meeting of the Pre-Medical Society was held in the I. O. O. F. Hall on the evening of Oct. 21.

Doug Tims presided at the meeting. The new members were welcomed by the president and the purpose of the Club was explained to them.

A membership committee was appointed and also plans for a variety show were discussed.

After the official business was over doctor's medicine (cokes for those who didn't indulge) was served and the first smoker of the year got under way with a gurgle, accompanied by piano playing and singing.

Debaters Hold Lively Meeting

On October 23, the Debating Society held one of its liveliest meetings of the year, the feature of the evening was a debate: "Resolved, that Newfoundland join the Dominion of Canada." George Rogers and Doug Rice of the affirmative opposed Julian Guntersperger and Hugh Goodman of the negative. Many points were brought out by both sides, and the affirmative was declared victor after a close ballot.

After this formal debate, a "hat nite" was held. Each person spoke five minutes on some pertinent campus topic. Such topics as "Resolved: that more women be encouraged to come to U. N. B.," by Jim Horner, brought many laughs from the members of the society. Another topic that caused much interest was that of "To dance or not to dance!"—in the gym.

As regards the business end of the meeting, President Fanjoy gave the society a resume of the M. I. D. L. conference at Sackville. At the instigation of U. N. B., the Saint John Law School was admitted to the M. I. D. L. Moreover important changes were made in the style and in the scoring of debates. The M. I. D. L. schedule for U. N. B. lists St. Dunstan's away and the law school at home before Christmas; after Christmas, the schedule is St. Thomas at home and Pine Hill away.

For the next meeting of the Society on October 30, two debates are scheduled. Hugh Whalen and Stafford will oppose Ralph Hay and Grant Campbell on the topic "Resolved: That Communism be outlawed in Canada." Norm Williams and Bob Allen will oppose Hathaway and Hugh Whalen on the topic "Resolved: That Modern Advertising is a disgrace."

Canadian Campi Political Clubs Flourish

Viewing the news this week from Canadian University Campi finds so much activity to write about that it is hard to determine what topics to pick that would be of interest to U. N. B. students.

National Outlook.

There is a definite tendency for several U. organizations to try to organize on a regional or national scale. This is probably the most promising aspect of U. thinking across Canada because it shows that University students are beginning to have a national outlook. This is the sort of leadership that must come from the University if it is to perform its task as an organ of our society.

Editorials, feature pages, and reports of international student activity all tend to raise the level of discussion and opinions from a mere sectional basis to a much broader view.

Political Clubs.

Whether it be good or bad, the CCF and L. P. P. political clubs on several Canadian Campi are the most active so far this year. There has been very little signs of activity in the Progressive Conservative clubs while the Liberal party are strictly more active but are still in the process of organization. The political parties concerned may not agree with these statements but this column is written from the material appearing in University publications only.

In those publications containing literary material as well as regular news, the trend seems to be to social writing in the form of criticism, satire and the like, reflecting the social conditions of the times pertaining mostly to student life and living conditions.

Other notable incidents show the increasing interest in all sorts of clubs exercising their rights and privileges. This is evident all the way from U. B. C. where the Jokers' Club on that campus has pitched tents, erected discrimination signs, etc., to Antigonish where the students of St. Francis Xavier are boycotting the town barbershops in order to bring the price of haircuts down.

Action is being taken on several campi to route out snobbishness in fraternal organizations. This has happened at U. B. C. and Toronto. Some fraternal organizations are also trying to steal members that are already pledged to other groups, an action which is receiving sharp criticism.

Next week, I will try to cover the sporting world at other Canadian Colleges so that readers may know what is being done, who is winning, and possibly compare their activities to ours.

TORONTO WINS

MACKENZIE TROPHY

Varsity from Toronto won this year's MacKenzie Trophy by defeating the McGill track team by four points but two individual records were broken by McGill men.

Fournier with 13 points to his credit broke the intercollegiate Discus Throw mark by more than nine feet with a heave of 135 ft. 10 inches. Fournier's team-mate, Fainstal, broke the shot-put record with 42 feet 2 7/8 inches.

Last year Toronto was edged out by one point. The standing this year is Toronto 59, McGill 55, Western 42, and Queen's 3.

Vet's Club Proposes Parade

All veterans on the faculty and in the student body of U. N. B. and Alex. College are cordially invited to take part in a Remembrance Day parade to the Fredericton Cenotaph on Tuesday, 11th Nov., 1947.

Veteran Co-eds are especially invited to be present so that the parade shall be fully representative of all branches of the services, and of the entire University.

For full details as to time, muster place, parade route, etc., please see next week's Brunswickan.

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The broad-shouldered boys gym team are now starting their gymnastics season with weekly work and instruction on the apparatus in the gym, under veteran coach Bert Estabrooks.

In addition to the training and ordination of skill and there is hope that there will be a revival of the annual Gymnastic the last of which was held in and which were acclaimed packed houses which turned see them.

Competitive gymnastics favor too, with Mount Allisonous of holding an intercollegiate match. In 1946, U. N. B. won a close decision from the John Y. M. C. A. team in such contest.

This year the gym practice being opened to the co-eds about 16 men to 1 girl at Old-timers with the team at Worthen, Bill McLellan, Grant and Doc Savage. The equipment, high-bar, horses, lels, rings, etc., are being full advantage.

EDITOR'S NOTES

The game at Mount Allison was all that could be in the way of evenly matched and see-saw play which decide the game in a moment both teams had the power

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