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EXAMS IN SIX WEEKS

Quastel to Lecture April 18-20; Priestman Memorial Lecturer well known Canadian Bio-Chemist

Dr. J. H. Quastel, well-known Canadian Bio-Chemist, will be the guest lecturer at the forthcoming Byron Priestman Memorial Lectures, April 18-20. Director of Bio-Chemical Research at the Montreal General Hospital and Professor of Bio-Chemistry at McGill University, Dr. Quastel is widely known for his contributions to the chemical sciences. At present he is delivering a series of lectures at Tulane University in the Southern United States. On Wednesday, April 20 there will be a public lecture in Teachers' College. On the next two days lectures will be delivered on the campus. In addition, Dr. Quastel will take part in seminars and informal discussions on Bio-Chemistry.

This is the fifth speaker in the Priestman Series since its inauguration in 1951. Former eminent men who have delivered lectures are Dr. Harlow Shapley, Professor of Astronomy at Harvard University, Prof. J. A. Cory, Vice-Principal of Queen's University, Prof. George Wald, Professor of Bio-Chemistry at Harvard and Dr. George Gamow, world known nuclear physicist.

The lectures are a memorial to Dr. Byron Priestman, former head of the UNB Physics Dept. On Remembrance Day, 1945, Dr. Priestman was killed while trying to save a young boy from drowning under the Railway bridge in Fredericton. Shortly before his death, Dr. Priestman expressed the belief that man's attitude towards, and his responsibility for, his fellow beings, should balance with man's developments in the field of Science. It was in this spirit that the memorial was set up and it is hoped that it will continue to be a lasting remembrance for a man who not only was deeply engrossed in his field, physics, of the human relations of the but felt very strongly the urgency community and of mankind generally.

MORE GRADUATES IN SCIENCE URGED

LONDON, Ont. (CP) — George Drew, national Progressive Conservative leader, said Sunday the free world must increase the number of its graduates in science and engineering to survive.

"The Russians have been concentrating on all branches of engineering and in the field of research," he told the Ontario Teachers Federation and associated bodies at the opening of education week here.

"Survival itself demands that the education in our schools and in our universities gives us the engineers and scientists to meet this threat."

"The survival of the free nations depends upon the extent to which we increase the number of graduates in science and engineering."

The statements were included in the text of a speech issued to the press before delivery.

LABELED "STRONG" INSULTS TO CANADIANS

University of Manitoba Students' Council authorized the dispatch of a telegram to the Students' organization at Alabama University, censuring their alleged racial prejudice as regards Miss Atherine Lucy. Miss Lucy, a negress, was denied admittance to the Southern university. Following the telegram, several letters were received by the Manitobans, which were only described as "strong stuff." The writers condemned Manitoba's "interference" in something which was not their business. In addition remarks were made that constituted insult not only to the University of Manitoba but to all Canadians.

Five UNB Students to Work Camps

Rosamond Harris, Susan Laverty, Carolyn Crandall, Pauline Saunders and Bert Premdas, all of UNB, will be attending SCM Work Camps in Ontario and Alberta this Summer.

Sponsored by the Student Christian Movement of Canada, Work Camps are held each summer in Mental Health, Industry, Government, and Ecumenical projects.

All four co-eds will be attending the Mental Health camp at Edmonton, Alberta. This will be Pauline Saunders' second summer at an SCM Mental Health Work Camp.

Bert Premdas will be attending the Ecumenical Work Camp at Toronto.

Students Ask Govt. for Scholarships

OTTAWA (CP) — Canadian university students complained Friday about the high cost of university training and urged the government to launch a \$5,500,000-a-year student aid program.

The scholarship committee of the National Federation of the Canadian University Students asked specifically for the provision of 2,500 awards, each tenable for four years and averaging \$500 a year. This would provide scholarships and bursaries for 10,000 deserving students when the program is in full operation.

The proposal, made before the Gordon economic commission was similar to that proposed by the 1951 Massey commission report. The Massey body also proposed 100 annual scholarships of \$1,000 each to be known as Canada scholarships and to be tenable for four years.

SENIORS

ATTENTION SENIOR CLASS '56

Nominations are called for the Life Executive of the Class '56. The positions open for nomination are:

1. President
2. Vice-President
3. Secretary-Treasurer
4. Valedictorian

1. Nominations must be in writing and signed by a nominator and seconder of the senior class '56.

2. Nominations for the above positions close Thursday, March 15 at 5:00 P.M.

3. Nominations must be handed to the President, Ian Kennedy or Dick Hale, Secretary-Treasurer.

4. Elections will be held Wednesday, March 21, 1956.

5. Polls will be as follows:

Forestry Building 9:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M.

Arts Building 11:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M.

Civil Building 2:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M.

Senior Students may vote at any Poll Station

Dick Hale, Secretary-Treasurer Senior Class

Lieutenant-Governor Inspected Cadets

Fredericton—New Brunswick's Lieutenant-Governor, the Hon. D. L. MacLaren, P.C., inspected officer cadets at the University of New Brunswick for the first time at a special parade Tuesday, March 13th.

Navy, army, and airforce units at the provincial university paraded together in Memorial Hall for the inspection which took place at 7:30 p.m. Following his inspection, the Lieutenant-Governor delivered a brief lecture to the cadets on the Victoria Cross.

The Lieutenant-Governor was accompanied by Major T. C. Barker, ADC, and was met by Dr. Colin B. Mackay, UNB president. Also on hand were the officers commanding the three units: Lieutenant Commander B. S. Wright RCN (R); Major R. J. Love, ED; and Squadron Leader R. E. D. Catley.

Parade commander was Lieutenant R. A. Oullette (RCN). Platoon commanders were: O/Cadet William N. Ower; 2nd Lieut. J. B. MacKenzie; and P/O R. Nason.

ADVENT OF EXAMS SPOIL SEASON BRIDGE PLAYERS ADVISED TO STOP

SRC MEETING PROVES SUCCESS MOVIES, COFFEE

by Steve Fay

The first meeting of the 1956-1957 Student Representative Council took place last Wednesday, March the 7th in the Oak Room of the Student Centre.

The meeting began with the old Council retiring their seats, and the retiring President, Dick Hale, summed up the happenings during his year of office. He said that the visit of Lord Beaverbrook had done much to promote student interest, especially the speech which his Lordship made to the Student body. He picked out the importance of the review of the Campus police and the subsequent setting up of the Student Discipline Committee. He told of the marvellous achievement of the Winter Carnival Committee who made a great success of a good idea. And of the good relation with Mount A. which the Carnival helped so much. He hoped the next year would be more beneficial and perhaps the Freshmen could help the city with one of their projects.

In summing up his year in office he thanked the Council who did much to help him in a job which was not all smooth sailing. The council too kinterest in all their business. Then Hale handed over the gavel to the incoming President, Jim MacDonald, whose first presidential action was to introduce the President of the University, Colin B. Mackay.

Dr. Mackay thanked the retiring Council for the work they had done during the past year. He commended the interest and the activity of the Council.

In a speech of welcome to the new Council Jim MacDonald proposed a vote of thanks to the old Council and especially to Dick Hale who did a good job.

Before the retirement of the old Council there were three items of old business. Jim MacKenzie read a letter from the Associated Alumni thanking the S.R.C. for their contribution to the War Memorial Fund. Then Dick Hale read a letter from the student President of Mount A. thanking the N.B. students for their time and hospitality during the Winter Carnival.

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As this is the last issue of *The Brunswickan* for the current year, we feel it our duty to warn the students of certain events pending in the future. Not the least in this category are exams, which have the somewhat disagreeable habit of turning up late in the spring. This has the effect of spoiling, to a not inconsiderable degree, the "joie de vivre" usually associated with this season.

Up until the present we have been rolling along, blithely pursuing such admirable courses as bridge (in the Student Centre), coffee breaks, (in the Student Centre) skipping lectures (in the Student Centre) and other extra-curricular activities (in and out of the), and astutely ignoring anything that even remotely resembles work. (except of course, in the). It must be realized that the time has arrived for drastically revising our tactics and resolving to adopt the rather novel course of study.

It is particularly important to point this out to freshmen, as they have not had the necessary experience to realize when fun stops and work (oh! — that horrible word) starts. It is positively morbid when one reviews the figures for "flunkies" that Miss McLeod and her staff faithfully compound year after year. Happily these figures are not readily available and so most of us have been spared some horror; but the fact remains that a large percentage of students somehow stray from the "straight and narrow" (as regards study) and experience no little difficulty in finding it again.

Strictly speaking, of course, these remarks should have been made at the beginning of the year instead of now and so saved you from reading about such an unsavory thing at this late date.

There are, it is true, certain of our university colleagues whose working habits fall outside the orbit of this discussion. They are those who diligently studied all year and who apparently, there being no directive of this type in the paper in the fall, answered some inner call when they resorted to such faithful perusing of their books. These are the forgotten ones; forgotten because they are never seen unless of course you explore the hidden recesses of the Bonar Law-Bennett. . . To these people we say "well done", not a little enviously, but hasten to point out that they too should investigate the practically unlimited resources of the

TORONTO REGURGITATES FEDERATION

TORONTO (CUP)—Toronto Toronto withdrew from NFCUS last Wednesday after a heated two hour argument in the S.A.C. The Council reversed a committee's recommendation to place NFCUS on a trial basis next year. The charges against the Federation were those of inefficiency and incompetence and were leveled against the Federation during the meeting.

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"To err is human, to forgive divine". This well-known and well-worked adage might well be changed to "to err is common — to forgive easy — to pass is an art". It is, however, an art that can be easily mastered through keeping up with your work.

It was mentioned at the beginning of this article that this advice is of peculiar significance to the freshman. A freshman in this instance is one who, like so many of us, has been unable to effectively allot his time to study and relaxation and finds it necessary to "cram towards the end of the year".

However, perhaps at this late date the only weighty advice we can offer is to "cram" and in leaving this thought with you, we hope we have not incurred the wrath of too many professors.

APPLICATIONS

Applications for the following positions must be in the hands of the Applications Committee by 12 noon Saturday, March 24, 1956.

Leave applications in Box "M" in the Arts Building or with the Chairman of the Applications Committee.

Positions:

- Editor of The Brunswickan
- Business Manager of The Brunswickan
- Photo Editor of The Brunswickan
- Editor of the Yearbook
- Co-editor of the Yearbook
- Photo Editor of the Yearbook
- Chairman of the Social Committee
- Chairman of the Winter Carnival Committee
- Campus Police Chief
- Assistant Campus Police Chief
- Campus Co-ordinator
- Concession for Christmas Cards
- Concession for Canteens
- Concession for Check Rooms
- Concession for Yearbook Advertising
- Concession for P.A. System

All applications should include a summary of qualifications for the position.

G. M. McAllister,
Chairman Applications Committee

To Celebrate Bi-Centennial

The first Bi-Centennial celebration of the birth of Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart ever staged on the UNB campus will take place March 20, 21, 22. Because of the prodigious contribution Mozart made to the music of all time it is only fitting that a university should make his 2-hundredth birthday an event.

Tuesday Evening: 8:15: Address by Dr. W. S. MacNutt, under the auspices of the Humantite's Society on Europe in the time of Mozart.

Recital of Mozart Music by Dr. F. J. Toole and Prof. D. Blue.

Wednesday Evening: A complete Opera by Mozart.

Thursday Evening: Films depicting the life and times of Mozart.

All these events will take place in the Arts Centre and the Students are cordially invited.

Will Interview Students at UNB

The Canadian Oil Companies Ltd. will be on the campus, Friday, March 16 to interview students for employment. Information as to time and arrangements for interviews may be obtained at the Public Relations Office in the Arts Building.