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CARNIVAL PASSES ON SALE THURSDAY

Rising Winter Carnival fever takes another jump with Carnival passes going on sale Thursday in the Student Centre. These passes cover all admission to all Carnival events. As in the past years, only 2,000 passes will be sold owing to building limitations and fire laws. They are expected to be sold out in two days.

Passes will be sold from the ticket window in the Brunswickan office from 9:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. Thursday, Friday and Monday. Taking into account the fact that there are close to 2,200 students on campus and only 2,000 Carnival passes, it is necessary to restrict the number of passes to two per person for Thursday only. This will give the student as much chance as possible to obtain his ticket before those who want five or six buy out the supply.

This year the tickets are divided into two groups; for the Wednesday night and Friday night performances of The Four Saints. There are 1300 tickets available for the Wednesday performance at Fredericton High School, and 700 for the Friday night show at the Teachers' College auditorium.

Winter Carnival programmes, giving full information about the Carnival will be on sale at the same time as the passes.

In past years there have been many complaints from people who have waited until the last moment to buy their passes. The Carnival Committee this year is doing its utmost to inform students that the early bird always gets the worm. It is hoped that students will try to get their tickets early.

There will be absolutely no separate admissions to gym events. There will be, however, a limited number of separate admissions to Opening Night and to the Hockey Game, only after these events have started.

In past years there have been reported incidents of passes being "bootlegged" for as much as twice their original price. The Carnival Committee is keeping a close watch for such activity and if discovered the students concerned will be prosecuted.

Students are reminded that the Committee reserves the right to revoke a student's pass for reasons of obnoxious behavior.

NEW PLAN FOR AAA

The Amateur Athletic Association will have an entirely new composition in the future, it was announced by the president, George Cassar, after a meeting of the association last Monday night.

The present association, composed of a president, first and second vice-president, secretary and the team managers of varsity sports has been hampered by a lack of interest on the part of association members. The team managers, automatically appointed often are not particularly interested in the functions of the AAA and there is usually a difficulty in obtaining a quorum at meetings.

One plan, presented by Carol Ely, representing women's sports on campus, proposed the division of the association into the Woman's Amateur Athletic Association (WAAA) and an AAA representing the men's sports only. This was voted down by members of the association, on the grounds that it would weaken the present structure even further, reducing it to two minor organizations instead of one powerful one.

An alternative scheme was outlined by the president in an attempt to give women's sports greater attention and at the same time, to strengthen the AAA, and keep it as one body.

Mr. Cassar's plan, adopted at a second meeting, Jan. 29, calls for an executive consisting of a president, male, a female first vice-president, a male second vice-president and a secretary to be elected by the campus as a whole. Each vice-president will be assisted by a sub-committee of two additional members, who will settle budget matters, the election of managers, etc. The first vice-president's committee will govern female sports, and the second vice-president's, male sports.

Acting under the female first vice-president will be the women's Intramural Representative who will co-ordinate female residence and intramural sports. Under the second vice-president will be the Residence Co-ordinator, who will arrange all intramural and residence sports for male students.

The Intramural Representative will be elected by the sports managers of the various women's residences, while the Residence Co-ordinator will be chosen by the managers of the male residences.

Under the Intramural Representative is the Female Team Manager, chosen by the managers of the various women's varsity teams to represent them on the AAA. A male team manager, elected by the men's varsity sports managers will carry out a similar function.

In addition to these members of the association, a representative from each of the six faculties will be elected to the AAA in the campus elections. These reps, belonging formally to neither the men's or women's sections of the association will assist on committees and in other capacities.

It is hoped, that by giving equal representation and authority to men's and women's sports in this new plan, that the AAA will emerge a stronger and more forceful body.

Marionettes Delight Audience

"Amazing", "brilliant", "unique", "charming" — these were the comments raised by the Marionette Theatre of Dr. Peter D. Arnott in two performances given on campus. Dr. Arnott, who is Associate Professor of Classics and Dramatic Art at Iowa State University, presented Plautus' "Menaechmi" on Sunday afternoon, and Aristophanes' "The Birds" on Monday evening.

The "Menaechmi" from which Shakespeare developed the familiar "A Comedy of Errors" showed Dr. Arnott's amazing ability to vary the voices of his characters, shifting quickly from one to the other, and at the same time, giving each his distinctive inflection or speech mannerism. The women's voices were also managed well. Another intriguing feature was the peculiar walk of each puppet, suiting his character and effected with speed and smoothness.

The drunken scene was especially well done, as Sosicles or Menaechmus II swaggered, and hickupped in an amusing as well as realistic fashion.

The set of the tiny theatre was a typical Greek street, essentially simple in design. At times, the lighting was rather poor and it was difficult to distinguish certain characters.

The performance of "The Birds" illustrated the charm of the puppets themselves, as weird and wonderful bird-like creatures with a variety of feathery limbs and assorted beaks flitted across the stage. The humour of the play was as entertaining to contemporary audiences as it was when first produced in 414 B.C.

Several of the characters were particularly amusing — the stuttering, nervous Prometheus, and The Informer, a visitor from earth who requested light-weight, racing model wings to further his skill as a spy.

Dr. Peter Arnott presents a scene from the "Menaechmi".

The most colourful of the characters were the visitors from earth, obnoxious, exaggerated, yet hilarious in their portrayal of familiar types.

Again Dr. Arnott's skillful variance of speech and his dexterity in the movement of groups of puppets simultaneously were highlights of the performance.

The university was fortunate in having Dr. Arnott on campus and in having an opportunity to view his highly skillful and artistic performances.

NOTICES

Applications for Non-athletic Activity Awards must be submitted to the Chairman of the Activity Awards Committee not later than Thursday, Feb. 1st.

A number of student directories have not been picked up. They will be available at the SRC office Wednesday through Friday, 12:30-2:00 p. m.

Speakers Highlight Conference

The Atlantic Regional Conference of Newman Clubs held here last weekend marked the climax of the year's activities for UNB Newman Club.

Friday evening the delegates were addressed by the Hon. Georges Dumont, N. B. Minister of Health. His topic followed the theme of the Conference "Catholic Social Doctrine in our Changing Society". Dr. Dumont made numerous references to the Papal encyclicals, especially the recent "Mater et Magistra" of Pope John XXIII which he described as "a direct and very simple text —containing your duties as students". He told the group, "Make it your duty to work towards masterpieces". He noted that "Christian Doctrine goes with secular learning" and pointed out that "Christian principles should permeate your lay learning."

Group discussions were conducted Saturday morning, centering around papers presented by Ross Wayland of Halifax, and Ernest Chaisson of UNB on "The Role of Newmanites in spreading Catholic social Doctrine", and by Robert Fafard on "The Principles of Catholic Social Doctrine". Leading the discussions were Prof. Robert Whalen, Dr. Jules Picot and Dr. John Meagher of the UNB faculty.

In the early afternoon, the Rev. Walton Hannah, a graduate of Edinburgh University, Scotland, Oxford and Bede College in Rome, addressed the delegates. Father Hannah, now Director of the Catholic Inquiry Forum in Montreal and lecturer in Church history at Loyola College and the University of Ottawa, spoke on "The Church, the Council and Christian Unity." He stated, "In reality, it is the Church, not the Pope which is infallible". In the forthcoming Vatican Council, he said, "This new general council must determine some lines along which a new ethos will develop — a new ethos which may change the nature of the church quite drastically". He noted that "the Church must adapt itself to the conditions of a changing world and meet the challenge of each new era".

At the business meeting following Ross Wayland, of Halifax was nominated as Regional Vice-President for 1962-63. The possibility of holding the 1963 National Convention of CFNC in Fredericton was discussed. Norman Berriman, a former UNB engineering student, representing the Montreal Alumni Club spoke briefly on "Crosslight" magazine and the new Newman Leadership course.

After Mass on Sunday morning, delegates heard an address by Mr. W. G. Hughes of Saint John at a communion breakfast at the Student Centre. Speaking on "The Problem of Evil in the World" Mr. Hughes compared the present world situation to the last days of the Roman Empire when small cells of Christians gathered in the Catacombs of Rome. He asked, "Shall someone write the epitaph of the present world and say that Communism has triumphed as Christianity once triumphed?" He added, "Man's defiance of God flings disorder and corruption pain and disease like a whirling sandstorm about the globe".

The Newman Ball in the Lord Beaverbrook Hotel on Saturday night, a luncheon sponsored by the CYO on Saturday and a tour of the campus and the Beaverbrook Art Gallery completed the social functions of the conference.