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LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR TO OPEN CARNIVAL

Schedule of events

4:15 official opening

Friday

- 4:15 — Official Opening
- 4:30 — Basket Ball Varsity
- 9:00 — Carnival Ball

Saturday

- 10:00 — Parade Float
- 2:30 — Hockey Varsity
- 8:00 — Variety Show
- 10:00 — Hop

Sunday

Mass
Banquet

- 2:00 — Student Faculty B. B.
- 3:30 — Snow Sculpture Judging
- 4:00 — Alumni Hockey
- 6:30 — Masquerade Skate
- 8:00 — Nurse-co-ed B. B.
- 9:30 — Hootenanny

Monday

- 9:00 — Broomball
- 10:30 — Tug of War.
- 11:00 — International Hockey
- 1:30 — Sophomore All-Star Hockey
- 2:30 — Square Dance
- Beard Growing
- Bridge
- Cribbage
- Pie Eating
- Milk Drinking
- 4:00 — Nurse-co-ed Hockey
- 7:00 — Torch Light Parade
- 8:30 — Cook-out
- 10:30 — Hop

Tuesday

- 10:30 — InterClass ICE SPORTS.
- 1:00 to 4:00 — Strathgartney
- 8:00 — New Christy Minstrels
- 10:00 — Hop

Opening ceremonies of the second annual St. Dunstan's University Winter Carnival will be conducted by his Honour, the Lieutenant Governor of Prince Edward Island, Lieutenant Colonel William J. MacDonald.

The outdoor ceremonies will take place in front of Main Building at 4.15 p.m. Friday, 31st January.

An alumnus of SDU, his Honour graduated in 1922 and now almost forty-four years later returns to open the 1964 Winter Carnival. Colonel MacDonald's illustrious career as a scholar, sportsman, soldier, and teacher has now been greatly enhanced by his recent appointment as Lieutenant Governor of P.E.I.

St. Dunstan's is proud indeed to be honoured by Colonel MacDonald's presence at the opening ceremonies of this year's winter Carnival.

SDU objects

UNB was the scene of the recent Atlantic Regional Conference of the Canadian Union of Students. Twelve universities, including St. Dunstan's, were represented. SDU delegates were: Gerald FitzGerald, campus CUS vice chairman Mary Donovan, and Sophomore class president Jim Griffith. Biculturalism was an important theme of the conference and many hours were devoted to discussions on this topic.

One unfortunate part of the conference was the gross breach in parliamentary procedure perpetrated by the chairman for the greater part of the plenary sessions.

The other unfortunate part of the conference was that such a situation was permitted to exist and continue throughout the proceedings.

As a result of these two unfortunate circumstances, resolutions were railroaded through the assembly without due consideration given to their content. The chairman arbitrarily limited debate, and dismissed points of order as out-of-order.

This resulted in the passing of such resolutions as: that the Prime Minister be acknowledged as the head of State in Canada.

The SDU delegates favoured severing the traditional ties with the British Monarchy, however, St. Dunstan's could not join in what it considered to be the most irresponsible act of the session; namely, acknowledging the Prime Minister as Chief-of-State.

Our system of parliamentary government can only operate in such a way that the prime minister is the first minister to the chief-of-State. Always there must be someone above the prime minister even if the someone is only a figure head. The figure head is what endures while the office of prime minister remains relatively unstable.

Because debate had been limited by the chair (not by a two-thirds vote of the assembly) to two speakers for and two against the motion, St. Dunstan's was unable to obtain the floor to present this objection which it felt would have inspired a little more scrutiny of the structural difficulties involved in such a situation. Dalhousie and Memorial Universities also voted against the resolution.

Oh les French

Comme I sit ici pondering la question de separatism au Canada, je suis certain que nos leaders ont choisi le wrong course; qu'il bat leurs tetes against un brick mur, mais en vain, parce qu'ils fail to see que la solution a cette problem lies in une union de nos deus langues.

Every jour nous voyons la separation between Quebec et la reste du Canada grow. Culturally il est evident que the gap widens et nous present a le monde une spectacle.

Le gouvernement dismayed par this impasse a decide to solve l'issue par une commission royale; mais the sad truth est que la commission will solve rien-la probleme est trop complex, trop historical.

Nous realize pour certain that notre solution n'est pas an easy

one, mais think of toutes les advantages. Once nous avons decide en a vocabulary et certain regulations en grammar, nous sommes sur the way.

Maintenant les anglais et the French sont separated; nous venons together mais il est seldom; et nous disagree toujours. Avec ma solution nous will have quelque chose outside notre narrow limites. Le devoir of achieving une langue commune will nous unite — pour ans. La musique of notre country would have to be changee, notre books histories, tous the records, signs, etc. Nous wold have so much a faire que nous would not have le temps pour petty quarrels. The cost sera great, mais l'effort sera worthwhile.

Ces sont a few advantages, vous connaissez others.



GRIFFITH,
Carnival Chairman

Pictured above is Jim Griffith, new Chairman of the St. Dunstan's University Winter Carnival Committee. Jim has replaced Kem McInnis as chairman. A Sophomore Arts student at SCU, Jim is president of his class where he has demonstrated a good sense of leadership.

We wish him every success in his task, and hope that this year's Carnival will be a very successful one.

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