

GRAND FINALE TO COLLEGE FUNCTIONS SET FOR FRIDAY NIGHT

College Hoopsters Carry An Eight Point Lead Into Second Game Of Mike Shea Memorial Trophy Play

GRADUATES ARE HONORED AT MOST PLEASING BANQUET

A large assemblage of guests were present at the Arts banquet, held Tuesday, March 30, in honor of the largest graduating class in the history of Brandon college. Beautiful gowns, attractive dining-tables, excellent speeches and a congenial atmosphere, contributed to the success of one of the best banquets in recent years. Following the reception in the drawing-room of the Prince Edward hotel, the guests descended to the dining-room to the banquet.

Douglas Downing was the able and humorous toastmaster during the evening and introduced the speaker, Dr. J. R. C. Evans. The president congratulated the collation committee on the success of their work and told the members of the graduating class that through them their college would be recognized. Bill Potoroka proposed an original toast to the graduating class. In replying, Miss Hemmons asked the undergraduates to make the most of their college days. The Alma Mater was toasted by Miss Agnes Bigelow, and in reply Professor E. Whidden touched on the familiar, likeable aspects of Brandon college life and paid tribute to its president. Victor Sharpe toasted the ladies in witty style, and on their behalf, Miss Helen De Marsh made, an appealing response. A piano solo by Miss Vivienne Barnwell and a vocal solo by Miss Ruth Morgan, accompanied by Miss Shirley Reizberry, interspersed the programme. The graduating class, singing their class hymn and song and giving their well-known "Iji-Itiki" brought the festive evening to a close.

Junior S.C.M. Meeting Sunday

The last meeting of the junior discussion group of the S.C.M. will be held Sunday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. R. C. Evans.

Brandon will shine! This is the slogan adopted by the College hoopsters who are seeking the Mike Shea Jr. Memorial trophy. Dr. Evans' charges will carry an eight-point lead into the second game which takes place in the local Y.M.C.A. next Saturday night, as a result of their 33-25 victory over the Winnipeg city champions, Isaac Newton, in the capital city last Saturday. Tickets have been going rapidly and a huge crowd is expected to watch a College team attempt to cop its first Manitoba championship in ten years.

The Mike Shea trophy was presented to the Provincial Basketball association four years ago by the Manitoba university in memory of Mike Shea, a student who was killed in the unfortunate aeroplane accident which took the lives of two Winnipeg Toilers, who were Dominion champions, on a return trip from Tulsa. Collegiate Grads of Brandon won the trophy first and it was retained one year later by the Royals. Then for the following two years Winnipeg defeated the local teams, with first St. Andrews and then Robertson Memorials doing the trick.

With the two of this province's finest guards playing outstanding parts, our College was seldom pressed by the Isaac Newton club in the opening game. Both boys were at their best, defensively and engineered many effective thrusts, although they did not score many points. Their passing made the openings for a greater part of the points garnered by the two forward lines. The "kid line" of Boom Cannon, Salty Ostrander and Biff Frayne was sent in to start the battle by Coach Evans and they responded with a sound display. They ran up a 14-10 lead before the Stinson-Wickett-Robertson trio entered the fray, with Don scoring six and the forwards four apiece. Baskets by George and Joe gave our boys a 18-12 half-time margin.

In the second chapter they continued to click, and only over-

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DRAMA FESTIVAL NOTABLE SUCCESS

Friday evening the annual drama festival was presented under the auspices of the Literary society, in the Normal school auditorium. During the interims Mr. Neale's orchestra rendered several entertaining numbers.

The first play, 'Unto Such Glory,' directed by Wm. Potoroka, featured Jack Prugh, Kathleen King, Vic. Sharpe, Marg Mann and Bill Bullard. While a number of difficult scenes were excellently done, the play itself did not permit as enjoyable a presentation as the cast were capable of.

'The Devil Among the Skins,' directed by Peggy Kahlo and featuring Dan. Stark, Don. Cannon, Reg. Gardiner and Peggy Kahlo, was unqualifiedly well done. The humor of the play, plus the dramatic skill of the artists, left little to be desired.

The Literary society, of which the president, Reg. Gardiner, was chairman of the evening, and the directors, are to be congratulated on the staging of this successful festival.

CO-EDS. NOMINATE NEW OFFICERS

Nominations for the 1937-38 Co-Ed. executive were held Monday morning in Room H. Following are the positions and co-eds. nominated to fill them:

Vice-President—Jeanne Mutter.
Secretary—Marg. Black, Jean Smith.
Treasurer—Bea. Wickett, Gwen. Dobbie.

Social Convener—Marion Robertson.

By constitution, the position of president of the Co-Ed. association is held by the Lady Stick. Elections will be held on Monday, April 12.

BACK NUMBERS OF QUILL AVAILABLE

The student offices contain a few back numbers of second term Quills. If any students would like to obtain one or two extra copies to send away, or if they failed at the time to get a copy, any member of the Quill staff will be glad to procure one for them.

Friday night promises to be a big event in the social history of Brandon college. Being the last function of the college year, it will be seen to that it is an extra special affair.

The installation of the 1937-38 officers will open the evening. At that time the old officers will hand over their jobs to the new executive, and Herb Easter will toast the retiring executive and Anne McKillop will hail its new members.

The Athletic board will make several awards on that night. Ribbons for Field Day will be presented and the C.C.M. cup for the eight-lap race at the Kinsmen Karnival will also put in an appearance.

The annual cavalcade of lits. will be presented; Arts IV. will have the main part in this section of the programme. The Literary shield will be presented to the winning year at this time. The rumor is widespread that there have been two very close competitors for the shield and that the judging committee—Mrs. Wright, Dr. Rae and Mr. Whidden—had great trouble in deciding just who it should go to.

Dr. Evans will name the new appointments to the Honor society.

Following this, last but certainly not least, lunch will be served. Even more than we have mentioned might happen.

Mills and Trowell Receive Nomination

Earl Mills was nominated to the position of editor of The Quill for 1936-37 at a meeting of the Board of Publications Tuesday afternoon, and Mr. Jack Trowell was nominated to the position of treasurer of the Students' association for next year, at a meeting of the Main executive Wednesday. These nominations will be brought before the student body for approval shortly.

Debating Club Closes Shop April 15th

A very interesting meeting of the Debating club will be held on Thursday, April 15, when the election of officers for next year will take place.

Plans are being made by the Social committee for a social hour to be held in the coming week.

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EDITORIAL

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In this, the last issue of The Quill during the 1936-37 year, the associate editors wish to thank reporters and contributors, who have been kept particularly busy this year, the advertising manager and assistants, and the advertisers who have made The Quill possible. We would also thank our readers for their cooperation with us in our work and their patience with us in our mistakes. We hope our successors will benefit from them in giving to the readers a deeper meaning of this paper.

To fellow-students who have managed and participated in student affairs throughout the year, we extend our congratulations. Particularly to the Sticks for introducing novel functions, to the S.C.M. for placing that group on the campus map, to the International Relations and Science clubs for bringing outside speakers before the student body, and to the basketball teams for their victories in the province this year. To our faculty associates we express our appreciation of the faculty party and our admiration for their efforts in expanding the work and influence of the college. To them we wish the rewards deserving of their work. To student heads next year we wish industry and inspiration to further increase the success which has marked college activities this year.

Both editors have been associated with The Quill since freshman days and will no longer be actively connected with it. It is, therefore, a sad au revoir we extend.

DEFENCE OF PUNNING

Many are the bitter words hurled at the poor individual whose tastes run to originating—or as railers claim, pretending to originate—the form of humor known as the pun. No sooner has the p.i. in question, after maybe half an hour's earnest heartsearching, presented his brilliant flash of wit, than his hearers respond in one of three stereotyped and equally insulting manners.

A. Growl between set teeth, followed by threat of assault with intent to do grievous bodily harm.

B. Opinion to the effect that the public interest would be served by confinement of the punner to His Majesty's hoosegow, preferably on moulded bread and dishwater.

C. Groan of "Ah—uuh!" the two notes pitched a minor third apart and for the best results in the key of G.

And after all, what has the poor victim done? Merely provided an outlet for mental relaxation. Some people achieve the same end by

playing sixty-three games of chess and a hand of bridge simultaneously and blindfolded; some take to crosswords and become mild maniacs who accost strangers demanding a four-letter word for a sub-arctic ostrich; others go into breeding Bengalese buffalo-fish, or growing orchids in the bathtub. It is all the same thing, really. Punning too, is actually a quite harmless occupation. The worst of puns is more endurable than a whole house cluttered up with baby Bengalese buffalo-fish wrapped in crossword puzzles, and much more interesting to the onlooker than raising orchids blindfolded. Lots of very nice people pun, in a small way. You'd be surprised—amazed in fact.

Which reminds me. Amazed quit before I fill the whole paper.

THE FLAW IN PAGANISM

Drink and dance and laugh and lie,
Love, the reeling midnight through,
For tomorrow we shall die!
(But, alas we never do.)

LAST MUSIC BROADCAST WAS HELD WEDNESDAY

The weekly broadcasts which the music faculty and students have so ably presented each week, were brought to a close this Wednesday.

This half-hour of music has been greatly enjoyed by all those who have listened to it and has proved to be a very worthy and delightful undertaking, which it is to be hoped will be carried on next year.

One of the numbers on the programme this Wednesday was the class hymn of Class '37, sung by the Brandon college quartette composed of Mrs. Rae, Froh. Streuber, Reg. Gardiner and Bob Buckham.

Those taking part during the series were the Misses Ruth Morgan, Shirley Reisberry, Mary Henderson, Beatrice Clendenning Kathleen King, Frohmüt Streuber, Mary Jane McDonald, Catherine Andrews, Sophie Jones, Jean Varcoe, Ruth Stark, Mrs. J. J. Rae, Professor W. L. Wright, Messrs. Elman Lowe, Bruce Fraser, Frank Ward, Billy Neale, Reg. Gardiner and Bob Buckham.

VOTES OF THANKS

The Student Christian Movement executive takes this opportunity to express their appreciation to all those who have helped make the discussion groups a success by kindly lending their homes on Sunday evenings

MARY MURRAY,
President, S.C.M.

The Arts Banquet committee wishes to express its appreciation to those students who provided transportation on the evening of the Arts banquet. Thanks are also due the Reliance Machine & Motor Co., Cameron & Rathwell and Canadian Motors.

GORDON FORBES,
Chairman, Banquet committee.

The Literary Society executive wishes to take this opportunity of expressing sincere thanks and appreciation to Dr. Rae, Mr. Whidden and Mrs. Wright, who have kindly acted as literary judges during 1936-37.

E. G. R. GARDINER,
President, Literary society.

"My little sister ate some chicken yesterday."
"Croquette?"
"No, but she's very sick."

I sneezed a sneeze into the air,
It fell to earth I know not where.
But hard and cold were the looks of those
In whose vicinity I snooze.

Students Conduct Services

With Professor E. Whidden in charge, three ministerial students conducted the service at the Baptist church Sunday evening in the absence of Rev. F. W. Pattison, who was in Winnipeg. Wilbur Crandall led the devotions and the speakers were G. Old and H. Easter. Mr. Old based his remarks on the parable of the Good Samaritan and Mr. Easter developed a talk on the parable of the tares and the wheat. This was the second service taken by ministerial students in town.

Gardiner: "Say, wait a minute. Have you forgotten that you owe me two bits?"

Shaw: "No, I haven't, Reg. But give me time—I will."

"What, Stark a good golfer? Why, I saw three ants climb onto his ball to keep from getting hurt while he was making a shot."

American University notes: "He was outstanding in athletics and also did very well in extra-curricular activities."

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HERB. EASTER NEW MINISTERIAL HEAD

The members of the Ministerial association met in the grill room of the Olympia on Thursday, April 1. The following members were elected to office for the coming year:

- President—Herb. Easter.
- Vice-president—Don. Knipfel.
- Secretary—Gerald Old.

Following dinner Einar Egilsson, Len. Wenham, Professor Whidden, Rev. Pattison and Dr. Evans spoke on different aspects of the ministry.

TO PROVE THAT A TON OF COAL IS A NIGGER.

A ton of coal is a weight.
A weight is a pause.
A pause is a short stop.
A short-stop is a foul grabber.
And, abracadabra, a foul grabber is a nigger.

SPRING TEA FOR THIS AFTERNOON

On Thursday afternoon the outside girls will be hostesses to the inside girls at the annual Spring tea. The afternoon is in charge of Catherine Andrews and a very efficient committee consisting of Bea. Wickett, Marg. McKenzie, Doris Gray and Jeanne Mutter. Dr. J. M. Turnbull, Dode Hemmons and Catherine Andrews will be receiving; and Mrs. J. Evans, Mrs. C. F. Richards, Mrs. E. A. Whitmore and Mrs. W. L. Wright will do the honors. Tea will be served from 3.30 to 5.30.

Marg. Crosbie Will Entertain English Club

The last meeting of the English club will be held Saturday, April 10, at the home of Margaret Crosbie, when the new officers will be elected.

Papers are to be given by Mary White on Babylonian and Hebrew literature, and by Dorothy Butler on French literature.

VITAMINS

Dr. Rae our beloved chemistry professor has been stimulating the literary talents of the class of 1940 by holding a poetry contest on "Vitamins". We herewith publish a few extracts from the prize-winning entry (the wrought-iron gardenia and platinum-plated loving cup will be sent to the winner—who remains for the time being anonymous—as soon as we receive ten tops from boxes of Carter's Little Liver Pills).

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And lubricate your differential.
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If you're feeling nervy
Or threatened with scurvy,
It will send you home safe to your mother.

Vitamin D is in eggs;
It's best for preventing bow legs.
Or get ultra-V* rays
On all sunny days
And substitute these for fried eggs.

(*Stands for ultra-violet, for the benefit of non-scientists).

THIS WEEK'S SCREWY RHYME

Humpty Dumpty sat on a wall,
Humpty Dumpty had a great fall;
And all the king's horses and all the king's men
Came riding by on side-saddles—the sissies.

Social Notes

Miss J. Duncan entertained the members of the girls' basketball team at tea after study hours Wednesday evening.

Miss Elsie McLaren was the guest at a "Bacon-and-Egg" party on Tuesday night in honor of her birthday, which will occur in three weeks. A very enjoyable time was spent by all.

Professor and Mrs. A. H. Foster were a genial host and hostess to those taking Bible 4a, at their home at supper on Friday evening. The forty students, besetted throughout the house and on the stairway, devoured the appetizing supper, which was served buffet style. Charlotte Findlay and Henry Hyson, as Adam and Eve, cut the pies. A short contest followed supper, prizewinners being Gwen. Munt, Kay Kidgell and Art. Foster.

Following the Drama festival on Friday evening, Bill Clement was host to the members of the graduating class at his home. Mrs. S. E. Clement received the guests. Red and white tulips, interspersed with flags centred the luncheon table, which was decorated with red, white and blue streamers. Walter Dinsdale and Earl Mills did the honors and Miss Gwen. Munt cut the ices. Assisting the host were Jack Muirhead and Jack Prugh. Nick Koropatnick's scissor game and a sing-song, with Gwen. Munt at the piano, added to the evening's enjoyment.

Miss Muriel McLaren was a hostess to the prospective grads. and a number of their friends at a party at her home following the Arts banquet. The guests were received by Major McLaren, and when refreshments were served, those assisting were the Misses Dorothy and Ruth Bell (now of Winnipeg), Jack Muirhead, Jack Prugh, Einar Egilsson, Bert Fraser and Bill Clement.

Norman Todd '35 was a visitor at the College during the week-end, en route to begin ministerial duties at the Baptist church, Yorkton, Sask. He succeeds Rev. Ralph Easter, who is now engaged in field work for Brandon college. Mr. Easter spent the early part of the week at the College.

SCIENCE CLUB

The last meeting of the Science club will be held on Wednesday, April 14. All members are asked to be present as the election of new officers will take place.

FRENCH CLUB TO MEET SATURDAY

The French club will hold its last meeting of the year on Saturday afternoon in the reception room of Clark Hall. The nominations for the new executive will be presented and the programme for next year discussed. Following the business meeting, a short play will be presented in which Evelyn Leech, Phyllis Light and Anne Waychok are to take part.

Refreshments will be served by the hostesses: Jean Brail, Elsie McLaren, Gwen. Munt and Catherine Andrews.

HOSTESS TO HISTORIANS

The last meeting of the Historical society was held on Tuesday, April 6, at the home of Betty Harwood. Plans for the annual breakfast hike, to be held in May, were discussed followed by the election of officers for the coming year, as follows:

- President—Helen De Marsh.
- Vice-president—Betty Harwood.
- Secretary—Doris Gray.

The business meeting was followed by two very enjoyable papers on "Bulgaria" by Margaret Young and on "Belgium" by Betty Harwood. A delightful lunch was then served by the hostess.

Economics Club Held Last Meeting

The Economics club held their final meeting of the year in the Prince Edward hotel on Tuesday, April 6. The following members were elected to office for the coming year: President, Jean Taylor; vice-president, Clifford Shirley; secretary, Clifford Bowes.

The topic for discussion was "Combine and Monopoly Conditions as found in Canada." The early history leading up to the Combines Investigation Act of 1923 was dealt with by Gwen. Munt. Bill Clement and Jean Taylor spoke on conditions as found by the Stevens Royal commission, and Earl Mills on success to date in regulating Canadian business.

ONE-ACT MELODRAMMER

Doctor: "Well, you've been bitten by a mad dog, but it's too late for the treatments to have any effect. I'm sorry to say you will almost certainly die of hydrophobia."

Patient writes furiously.

"It may not be that bad. You do not need to start making your will yet."

"Will, nothing! This is a list of people I'm going to bite."

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MORE ABOUT BASKETBALL

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Kirk-McGregor duo but their sensational long-range shooting kept them in the running. Time after time these fellows dropped in marvellous shots from far out. On the smaller playing surface of the local "Y" they will be very much more dangerous and the Blue and Gold are not taking them lightly.

A strenuous two-hour practice was held Tuesday, with another called for Thursday. The players are dead set on bringing Brandon

anxiousness prevented them from running up a larger total. The Newtons could not fathom the its lone Manitoba championship in any sport this season and will be all out to not only hold their eight-point lead but to increase it with a victory. Cannon will pivot one line, with Frayne and Ostrander flanking him, and George Wickett will have Robertson and Stinson as his aides. Morris Pechet will be ready to fill any spot when he is called upon.

A large crowd pulling for them will be a great help to the boys, so be on hand Saturday night and take up the team's slogan, "Brandon will Shine."

I Saw This Week -

Edith-Rose Gilson looking for a meeting.

Helen Pattison taking a pot-shot at Bill Bullard with a 22.

Hanson, Buckingham and Fahrigr perusing the latest doings of Pop-eye.

A picture of Dode Hemmons, with ringlets, in an old Sickle.

Earl Mills leading Arts IV in a sing-song with a big, black cigar —at Clement's

Jack Murhead looking into mirrors at McLaren's and saying, "I am so glad you're graduating, you dear boy."

Bob Buckham playing Sir Galahad as he carried Jeanne Mutter out to the car on the night of the banquet

Jim McGregor falling off his chair during one of the toasts.

Marge, Kirk getting Wally to cut her meat for her.

Doug, Downing hunting frantically for a serviette which he was sitting on

Mary Murray and the aforesaid D. Downing chasing a vase two blocks up Ninth street

Dode Hemmons' bed collapsing about 5:30 o'clock the other morning. (Get in too suddenly, Dode?)

Mills and Gannon in "The Shanghai," looking bored.

Agnes Mills falling down the Science building steps into a mud-puddle.

Gwen, Dobbie asking a man in the Oly. if he had seen her Sunday school book

Jeanne Mutter mistaking the mushrooms for lumps in the gravy.

Doris Gray, Marg. Crosbie and Helen Watson playing tag beneath the light of the silvery moon, on the grass in front of the College, Monday night

Bill Bullard having the powder taken out of his hair after the Drama festival, with an electrolux.

A MODERN DICTIONARY

Acrimony—Sometimes called holy when two people get spliced.

Ambiguity—Having two wives at the same time (This isn't cricket).

Average—That which hens lay eggs on.

Chintz—Associated with fat people, as in: "My, my, what big double chintz you have."

Foist—The precedence which convention gives to a woman.

Germinate—To become a naturalized German.

Propaganda—Daddy goose.

Reverie—A guy who wears white nickers and blows a whistle.

Refugee—See above (after the game).

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Phoneytic Dictionary (with no help from Science)

Absinthe—A state of not being present in "Absinthe makes the heart grow fonder.

Approbate—A person who has or is a loose liver.

Culture—A complicated gas-house term used in such conections as "Th, Eh, I've culture red-handed, you rat!"

Convex—People they put in jail: prisoners. (See prism).

Facetious—A bunch of guys trying to get control in Spain. They also follow Mussolini.

Literature—Another gas-house term as in "Literature vest, it is all covered with gravy."

Orchids—Little children—"your kids may be cute, but orchids are cuter."

Prism—A penal institution where convex are kept.