

Blue and Gold Hoopsters 'Peg Bound

"Twiddlethwicking" Is '40 Presentation THURSDAY AT 8

A rollicking comedy based on mistaken identity is the general theme of Class '40's effort in the annual Literary Shield competition.

Marion Robertson will direct the Lit and leading parts are being taken by Kay Drake, Eldon Bliss, Jack Woods, Gwen Dobbie Tommy McLeod Ivy Mills and Ken Gamey.

I Saw This Week

Registrar McKinnon spearing peas with a toothpick . . . Tommy McLeod meeting the Winnipeg Busses (in vain at that) . . . Profs. Cragg and Vernon doing some tricks on the parallel bars at the Y Saturday night . . . Pulfer making eyes at the young lady debater from Manitoba . . . Marj. Kirk up and around again . . . George Wickett with a handful of pictures of Ethel (we understand he has a lot more of them at home, too) . . . Wilbur Crandall drawing an analogy between Dr. Evans' brain and that of a dinosaur . . . Eldon Bliss wagging a forefinger as he counted noses in the dining-room.

Don't Forget

Sr. Arts Party—Feb. 22nd.

"CHIMES OF NORMANDY" March 2nd and 3rd City Hall.

Men Will Play Two Games Girls Meet Home Ec. Only

TWENTY-FOUR TO MAKE TRIP

Definite assurance was forthcoming late today that Brandon's basketball teams will journey to Winnipeg for the annual series with Wesley College and another chance at the Varsity and Home Ec. teams.

That evening the boys will play the University of Manitoba Senior Men's team, while the girls will meet the Home Economics team which defeated them here last Saturday.

Saturday morning the Brandonites will travel the seven miles in-

to the city where the boys will be put up at Wesley College. The girls, as they are not playing Wesley on the trip, will have to stay elsewhere.

Evans' Men Take Varsity Girls Lose to Home Ec.

24 — 18

When a man bites a dog, that's news, but when Doctor Evans Jr. cagers win over Man. Varsity's Sr. "B" leaguers—that's colossal.

Both sides opened play with cautious basketball. As the initial frame wore off the tempo of play increased, as did also the zeal and enthusiasm of the large crowd.

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15 — 19

Staging a sparkling rally, the Home Ec. girls triumphed over the local quintette, 19-15, in one of the most exciting games witnessed in this city.

The Blue and Gold girls gave a fine display of their passing ability throughout the entire game. Vi. Munt and Kay Frey played stellar rolls in the offensive, with Miss Munt playing her best game of the season.

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Mills-McLeod Win Over Manitobans UNANIMOUS DECISION

Its too bad the Rowell Commission was not at the debate last Friday evening. Their report, we believe, would now be a foregone conclusion for the case against the present provincial status was so clearly and logically presented that all three judges were convinced within a few minutes of their retirement.

William McKay, the affirmative leader, in a quiet spoken, pleasing speech stressed the present status as a middle course between the evils of over centralization and those of provincialism.

Tommy McLeod, Brandon's pride, spoke next and from the point of delivery was easily the best speaker of the evening.

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BRIEFLY - -

Last Thursday afternoon Room "L" was the scene of a meeting of the Debating Club. Jack Wood and Don Knipfel upheld the affirmative side of a debate concerning the futility of exams.

All members of the Science Club—Don't forget the regular meeting tonight, Wednesday, Feb. 16, in Room "7" at 7 o'clock.

The members of the International Relations Club met a week ago last Thursday, when Mike Lysenko spoke to them about the recent conference in Winnipeg.

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EDITORIAL

● DISGUSTING.

Last Friday's debate was one of the most enjoyable and enlightening verbal clashes we have had the privilege of hearing in quite some time. The speakers were, almost without exception, excellent, the material tremendously important to every Canadian and the debate should have had the loyal support of every college student, for it was the regular Friday evening function of the Association. Representatives from our traditional rivals were in our very citadel to challenge our debaters, yet the students of Brandon College, to a very large extent, ignored the appeal for support.

Through the medium of the Quill, local papers, announcements and the College bulletin board, every effort was made to attract a good crowd. The efforts were wasted. A scant sixty of the faithful were on hand to hear Brandon take a unanimous decision.

If a decent representative attendance of College students is only possible at social gatherings, if refreshments are an essential to induce students to attend any function, if a supposedly intellectual group is not interested in anything but a good time; then the writer, in all seriousness, suggest that the student fees be refunded and the students be permitted, nay urged, to seek their own pleasure, as and where they find it.

● APROPOS.

If the present trend towards book reviews as Chapel talks continues, the editor foresees some very embarrassing developments. We suggest that someone end it all by running a summary of "Anthony Adverse."

MORE ABOUT DEBATE

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in Saskatchewan.

Marie Graves, the charming supporter of the affirmative side, gave an interesting treatise on education in Canada, but failed to tie it in with the rest of the affirmative argument. She, along with several other of the speakers showed, we thought, a little too much consideration for her notes.

Agnes Mills, in a quiet, forceful manner, finished the work of demolishing the affirmative arguments. Buttressing her speech with statistics, she showed that under the present degree of autonomy it was utterly impossible for the majority of the provinces to maintain essential services.

The fact that the wording of the

debate had lead to some difficulty in defining the subject was evidenced in the rebuttal of the affirmative side. Pleading for a re-interpretation of the subject, Mr. McKay charged the negative side with putting the affirmative in an utterly indefensible position, but as he was a little vague in explaining any other available positions the Brandonites got the unanimous nod from all three judges.

William Potoroka was chairman for the evening and the interval while the judges were absent was shortened considerably by several piano selections by Vic Sharpe. Following the debate the Winnipeggers were guests at a reception in Clark Hall.

"A lecture is that process by which the notes of a professor become the notes of the students, without passing through the minds of either." — Prof. Rathbur, Law, Stanford University.

C O - E D - - C O L U M N

Probably due to the fact that it was Valentine's Day Eve, the Reception room was more than usually crowded and several of the Cupid-minded couples found it advisable to retire to other quarters on Sunday evening. We might also mention that the Winnipeg debaters were rather surprised upon discovering that so many Brandon Collegeites were "steadies." apparently in Winnipeg it is quite a sin to go steady with one particular boy or girl, and any boy or girl who does so is the object of much sarcasm, criticism, joking, etc. But it should be added that said 'Peg debaters thought that it was a swell idea and wish that Winnipeg would follow it up. We might also add that not only the debaters but the basketballers also liked the way that Brandon College did things in general. Every year that some representatives come up from Winnipeg they are always impressed by our College spirit. (They were this year, too, even though it is quite noticeable that said College spirit is not as strong as it was last year). One of the debaters told us that if such College spirit as we showed when we were selling tickets and working up enthusiasm over the Winnipeg game on Saturday night was displayed in Winnipeg, it would be trod down and denounced as Communism. But they certainly liked it.

SOCIAL NOTES

Following the debate on Friday night, a most enjoyable reception (I thought so anyway) was held in the reception Room. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. W. E. E. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Bell, Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Goth, and Marie Graves and Wm. McKay. Lunch was served by members of the Debating Society and some very interesting discussions were held in various corners of the room

After the game on Saturday evening, the members of the four basketball teams, the main executive and certain members of the Faculty were the guests of the Athletic Board at a reception held at the "Y." After eating heartily, they joined the rest of the College enthusiasts, who were dancing in the gym. Music was provided by Jay Hannay.

The spirit of St. Valentine seems to have been prevailing around the College lately. The postman was very well loaded down when he reached the College on Monday Morning, but he seemed much relieved when he left. If I had the

genius of Charlie MacCarthy (or Edgar Bergen) I would go poetical and serenade you all with poetry, but it just does not seem to be along my line.

REMEMBER ! ! ! GIRLS HATE BOYS WHO

- forget to comb their hair.
- forget to have neck trims.
- forget to clean their finger-nails.
- forget to polish their shoes.
- haven't a definite idea about what to do or where to go when asking a girl out.
- pay attention to everyone but their own companion on a party.
- ask you to a perfectly strange party without giving you a hint as to whether it is formal or not.
- don't get off street cars first and help you off.
- don't open doors and help you on and off with your coat.
- chew gum.
- drop in without 'phoning first.
- smoke while dancing.
- talk over your shoulder to another couple while dancing.
- leave you to make all the conversation.
- don't thank you for a dance.
- don't precede you down a theatre aisle when no usher is in sight.
- don't notice when you have a new dress on.
- say "How about a little kiss?"
- practice burping.
- make low remarks and tell dirty jokes.

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MORE ABOUT BOYS WIN

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College having the slim two-point lead.

Throughout the second half, excitement ran high as Varsity threatened defeat. When George Wickett and Jim McGregor dropped some nice run-up shots, victory was made secure.

On the night's play, McGregor was the most outstanding player on the floor, with "Hank" Ostrander pressing him hard for the star position. Both Jimmy and "Hank" have been continually turning in good performances for the Blue and Gold squad. Kirk played his usually fine game in his guarding position.

Against Senior "B" company our Juniors have shown superior basketball power, this fact alone should be sufficient to convince local sceptics that a western trip should be forthcoming.

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SPORTS

BASKETBALL

On Thursday night's play, our senior cagers emerged on top of the local basketball league, while the girls came through with a surprise win over the St. Paul invincible five. The "Junior" team lost a hard fought battle to the Junior Royals, after a 13 point rally in the final frame.

In the Senior game, the boys won a close 22-20 victory over their arch-foes, the Royals. The first string gang led the attack in the initial half. They used an aerial passing route, which was continually smeared for a loss. The long looping passes were easily snagged by the Royal guards. On the other hand, the "Doc'h" shock troop really meant business around the basket dropping many rebounds for major scores.

The second string boys were superior in basketball power, but with a change of rearguard they "blew"—as the saying goes. In order to salvage the game, the Doctor injected guarding material into the line-up to keep the slim lead.

**Co-eds Beat St. Pauls;
Emerge From Dog House**

Bedlam broke loose as did also the dog from the dog-house when the girls came through with a spectacular victory over the City Champion, St. Paul cagers. Our "complex" gang at last found that they have the "stuff." Going into the fray with 100-1 odds against them, the "Cinderella" women topped the scoring column from the first to the last whistle. When asked about the victory, coach "Gob" Kirk said: "Them gals was out to win" and so the "we've just got to win" attitude predominated throughout the play, as the score indicates.

There were no individual stars, the girls have discovered that a smooth calculated type of passing game is bound to subdue even the best of them.

Marion Robertson was top scorer with 5 points, "Hicky" Hickling and Jean Hutchinson each with 4, while Kay Frey accounted for the other two.

The girls team are on the up and up, just watch their smoke from now till the end of the season.

The "Junior" game was marked by the rally of the blue and gold in the final half. They did not have the punch, however, to overtake the hard checking Royal Juniors. The final count found the College on the short end of a 15-12 score.

HOCKEY NOTES . . .

The game scheduled for Saturday against the "Duskies" was postponed because of adverse weather conditions. Team manager Gordon Forbes had gathered his entire squad for the game, but had to dismiss them on receiving word of impassable roads to the Indian School ice palace.

BADMINTON . . .

Is the badminton enthusiasm slowly dying? If so, why? With all the advantages of our badminton club, good courts, good racquets, low fees, close proximity, the flightiest of birds—our club should be the best patronized in the city. A report from Sec. Stinson disclosed a considerable lack of money, enthusiasm and players in the second term. We feel that badminton is too important a sport in our College life to be given up at this time. So get behind the badminton club and give it your whole hearted support.

BOWLING NOTES . . .

Flash! Bowling will go on as scheduled for this week. It has been arranged by secretary Les Roberts that four men teams will bowl in place of the usual five. This was deemed advisable because of the Winnipeg basketball trip. Team Captains who will be going to the Peg. are asked to leave one member in charge of their team (Lieutenants to the Captain).

On last week's play Ormond William and Marion Robertson were the high lady and gentlemen scorers. Williams led the men's single high with a score of 311 and the men's double high with a score of 532. Robertson led the ladies single and double with scores of 230 and 363, respectively.

The high team of the bowling league is Trowell's terrific Trundlers having a score of 1,718—by cracky! can you tie that.

Team Draws—Feb. 18th.

- Whiz Bangs vs. King Pins.
- Strikers vs. Bombers.
- Alley Cats vs. Goose Eggs.
- Marvels vs. Boomerangs.

- Trundlers vs. Pee Wees.
- Kreugers vs. Midgets.
- Top Notchers vs. Half Pints.

Among those College students making the trip to Winnipeg to see the Brandon-Seals game were: Doug Downing, Gord. Forbes, Ken Galvin, Howard Stone, Lyal McGill and Hob Buckham.

MORE ABOUT GIRLS LOSE

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with Marg's individual rushes and her "Fight 'em Brandon, fight 'em spirit.

Hope of victory ranged high throughout the entire game, but the more experienced Winnipegers were able to overtake Brandon's slim lead. In a return engagement, our female gladiators are conceded more than even chance of bettering the Brown and Gold cagers. Coach Kirk feels that with practice in the shooting department, his team will be equal to the Dominion Champs.

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"Year Book Will have Modern Motif"—McGill

As deadlines begin to fall like the morning dew and Editor McGill's brow commences to take on the attractive appearance of a dried prune, press dates for the Sickie draw near. Stoutly maintaining that the book would be distributed early in April, McGill (known to his intimates as Three Story a Day) says that this year's Sickie will contain a galaxy of features hitherto considered unattainable in a book of its size and circulation. A cover alone guaranteed to be worth the purchase price is promised, while the art work and class layouts will be dazzling. Something hitherto unattempted is the idea of two-color printing throughout, but this along with numerous other novel features will be found between the covers of the '38 Sickie.

A campaign for subscriptions for the book will commence shortly it was learned, as we go to press. The same system as in use last year will be tried again and students will be urged to sign caution money waivers for the sum of one dollar. While the actual price has not been definitely decided, it is expected to remain as in recent

years, despite the numerous improvements contemplated.

"Victoria The Great" Spectacular; at Strand

One of the most delightful pictures ever to come out of Hollywood is the great historical drama "Victoria the Great," the intimate life story of Britain's great queen. Historically accurate, containing a world of education and visual history, this mighty pageant of a glorious era in British history will be seen at the Strand Theatre on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week.

Four Classes Meet; Choose Opera Ticket Sales Queens

Class Queens and ticket sales managers have been chosen for the ticket sales competition for the forthcoming production of "Chimes of Normandy." They are '38, Cliff Shirley, ace handbook salesman and Edith-Rose Gilson, popular co-ed who was in the stick elections last year; for '40, Gwen Dobbie and Jack Woods; for '39, Elva Way and Harry Ostrander, and for '41 Ruth Stark and Bud Searle. Students are busy with their sales efforts and first reports are expected to be polled in a day or so.

In the Air . . .

It seems that Miss Duncan got on a bus the other day and while handing a ten dollar bill to the bus explained: "I'm sorry but I haven't got a nickel."

"That's all right," retorted the driver, "you're going to have one hundred and ninety-nine of them in a minute."

THERE ARE A GOOD MANY

While McKinnon was home in Weyburn a few weeks ago he was talking things over with a prospective student.

"Yes, but what good does College do you," asked the Weyburnite.

McKinnon: "Well, when I first went there I was pretty conceited but they soon knocked all that out of me and now I'm the best guy around there."

PEOPLE IN BRANDON

Millar: "Don't you know that drinking will ruin your stomach?"

Adams: "Yeh, but it won't show with my coat on."

WHO ARE ANXIOUS

Poem of the week:

"What have you done," St. Peter asked,

"That I should admit you here?"

"I ran the Quill," the editor said, said,

"At Brandon for one long year."

St. Peter, pitying, shook his head, And gravely touched the bell;

"Come in poor thing, select a harp, You've had your share of hell."

TO SECURE TICKETS FOR

We just read about the University of Washington freshman listing his activities for the year as "flat feet, ear-ache, and appendicitis once." He had mistaken "affiliations" for "afflictions", in the student year book questionnaire.

"CHIMES OF NORMANDY"

Brandon College has always been proud of its faculty. At no time in the history of the institution has there been a stronger group of instructors. This will continue to be the case as long as these midnight faculty onion feeds continue.

BUT DONT KNOW ANY

It seems that Bliss has been going to Sunday School lately (Oh yes, didn't you know that). Anyway last Sunday, the teacher, seeing his mind wandering a little, suddenly enquired, "Who defeated the Philistines?"

"Aw, I don't know," he replied, "I only follow the majors."

COLLEGE STUDENTS

You kissed and told,
 But that's all right;
 The man you told,
 Called up last night.

FROM WHOM TO BUY

We overheard a couple of motorists discussing a flat in a garage a few days ago. The conversation ran something like this:

"How'd you get that flat?"
 "Ran over a milk bottle."
 "Didn't you see it?"
 "Naw, the kid had it under his coat."

SO THE THING TO DO

Students at Texas Christian University have worn out three copies of Emily Post's book on etiquette. After seeing the way some of the supposedly educated gentlemen around here can behave at a dinner table, we suggest a few cast iron backed copies for the library as compulsory reading.

IS TO GET OUT THERE

And we close with this cheerful little ditty which we swiped from Western Ontario Gazette (if the Tatler doesn't come in soon, I don't know what we'll use for jokes).

Razors pain you,
 Rivers are damp,
 Acids stain you,
 And drugs cause cramp;
 Guns aren't lawful,
 Nooses give,
 Gas smells awful—
 You might as well live.

AND CANVASS THE TOWN

Margaret A. McKenzie and Don McKay were the speakers at the English Club's regular meeting last Saturday afternoon at the home of Bea. Wickett. After listening to the speakers, a delicious lunch was enjoyed by all.

Dean Whidden, when a student here, once scored three goals against Lorne Chabot in one game.

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