

SELL-OUT IMMINENT FOR DEBATE

CLASS '40 WINS FIELD MEET

The 1938 edition of the Brandon College annual Sport Day is now a thing of the past. New champs have been made and old champs remade, and on the whole everyone is quite happy about the whole affair.

The most interesting feature of the entire day was, as we predicted the Faculty-Main Executive softball tilt. True, also was our prediction that the Main Executive would win, but not, we must admit, by any walk-away. Heading the game was the work of a newcomer to our midst, Dr. W. Easterbrook, who took charge of the greater part of the mound work for the Faculty, in addition to teaching the students the art of pasting the apple for a round trip.

Perhaps the most disturbing element in the game was the series of queer noises originating in the vicinity of centre field. We have since had our fears dispelled in learning that someone stationed our most revered professor, Mr. A. E. Birkinshaw, to wit, out in the cow pasture.

Other softball games of the day saw class '40 turn in a double victory, taking both boys' and girls' series. Marg. Hickling's fire-ball paved the way to a 19-10 victory over class '42, in the "amazon" series, while the men's finals saw Bliss slinging to McLeod for his third victory in as many games.

Contrary to the practice of former years, the 1938 sports featured to a greater extent individual competition, with the men's 100-yard dash stealing the spotlight. What almost amounted to a photo finish saw Bureski beat Knipfel by a nose, with Kennedy breasting the tape in third position.

In the high jump, Eldon Bliss became College Kangaroo No. 1, as he

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FLASH

Tickets for the debate of Monday night are rapidly approaching the selling out point. The ticket sales manager informs the "Quill" that a record crowd is expected to turn out for the big event.

RINK RAISIN'

With the cooler days comes the thought of winter and the athletic board are well aware of the work which must be done in order to complete the "three-year-plan" project in our back yard. Lumber has been purchased and many willing workers are expending their energies in building the remainder of the rink wall.

The construction is under the direction of Wally Stinson, head of the Athletic board. Wally swung a big deal during the week whereby the cost of construction is much lower than previous allotments. Tenders for the maintenance have been received and we understand another big deal is now in progress.

With the forces concentrated on the construction of the huge project, we expect a new record for the completion of the east wall. Last year, you will remember, the boys set up a record which will receive a close run this year.

Publications Board Meets

At a meeting of the board of publications the Handbook editor, appointment of an assistant to the editor, circulation manager and advertising manager were made. This year, Doug Pulfer is to handle the publication of the Handbook, he reports that the book should be ready for circulation before the end of the month. Alixe Meadows is to assist in the publication of the "Quill," being assigned her duties as the occasion demands.

Omond Williams is in charge of advertising and Jim Nelson is to control circulation of all of the student publications for the year. The board adopted a financial statement for the year and discussed the allotment for each publication. As there is a scarcity of that all important necessity called money, each item was carefully considered, and after some careful planning the black future began to show forth in lighter hues.

Bind together your spare hours with the cord of some definite purpose—William M. Taylor.

ORCHESTRA

With wails something akin to a man biting a dog, the College Orchestra had its first practice of the year. Though without the old maestro Mr. Keith McKinnon, the orchestra is going to carry on for another triumphant operettic season. Thomas McLeod is to wield the baton from his bull fiddle position. Members of his orchestra are to include: Miss Mina Collins at the piano, Clayton Bird and Frank Goodwin, saxophonists; Bill Gorrie and Don Knipfel, trumpet players, and Dan Bigelow on the clarinet.

With the additions of the scores, "Flat Foot Floogie" and the "Lambeth Walk" the orchestra should be a "howling" success. From our music critic comes the news that the orchestra is really equal, if not better, than last year. He states that in our new trumpet player, Bill Gorrie, the orchestra has a real addition. The eight-piece orchestra is expected to swell in numbers as the days go by.

SIGN SWIPED

The publicity expert is mumbling to himself over a recent occurrence in regards to the hooking of a Field Day sign. The sign was of the novel variety which any student of art would appreciate hanging in his boudoir. It has been the economical custom in past years to save all student signs till the end of the College year and then auction them at the final function of the year. This gives all students an equal chance of securing souvenirs from the different function.

The students are asked in future to desist from spiriting away signs from their place of display and that certain individual who was moved by artistic desire may return his prize without penalty and reinstate his tarnished status quo.

NOTICE

The Administration have informed the "Quill" that the conditions as outlined in a letter by "A Resident Student" have been rectified. Through a misinterpretation of instructions, the windows leading on to the fire escape were closed.

Robson and Thonemann Vs. McLeod, Potoroka

At long last that international debate to decide whether "Nationalism is the enemy of society" is to take place next Monday evening in the First Baptist church at eight fifteen o'clock. H. R. W. Robson and F. F. Thonemann are to debate against Bill Potoroka and Thomas McLeod. Bill and Tommy are to take the affirmative side of the resolution and will carry the hopes of the Brandon students.

The visiting debaters, H. R. W. Robson, a recent graduate in Law of Sydney University, New South Wales, and F. F. Thonemann, of Melbourne University, Victoria, at present a student of Law, will tour Canada this fall under the auspices of the National Federation of Canadian University Students. Both have been nominated by the National Union of Australian Students.

Their tour got under way on Oct. 10th and will continue until Dec. 7th. Debates will be held in Vancouver, Edmonton, Calgary, Saskatoon, Brandon, Winnipeg, Toronto, Guelph, Kingston, Ottawa, Ste Anne de Bellevue, Montreal, Lennoxville, Fredrickton, Chatham, Sackville, Halifax, and Wolfville. During this tour, Mr. Thonemann and Mr. Robson will lecture on a number of selected topics, as well as carry on debates at the points mentioned.

Knowing the integrity of our own debaters, this debate promises to be the biggest and best event of the College year. The topic is one of interest to all at this time when nationalism plays such an important part in our thinking. The topic, principles and the reasonable price are popular. Such an educational feature should not be overlooked by the student body and should receive the whole hearted support of everyone.

Don't Forget

Debate, October 24th.
Hallowe'en Party, Oct. 28th.

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EDITORIAL

QUIET, PLEASE!

Keeping up the tradition of past editors, this year the "Quill" editor would like to take his crack at the Library situation. We do so before there is any reason for such an attack for we feel that as many other changes were instituted this year the Library is subject to perhaps one of the biggest upsets. This year the Library must be regarded as a place of study. With the Manitoba courses the Brandon library could hardly be expected to have all the books necessary for the complete new set up. As a result books were loaned to the committee by Manitoba University, the Brandon Mental Hospital and several private individuals. There are a limited number of copies and so these books should not be removed. The number of students who will be studying en masse, so to speak, will be greater than any former year.

We suggest that those who wish to pass the afternoons and evenings by carrying on a conversation with their closest neighbor, would kindly do so in some secluded nook where they might not disturb others who desire to study. We ask that the students co-operate with Miss Morgan and the library attendants to make the library a place of study and not a social gathering.

NOTA BENE.

The Editor wishes to welcome to the fold those martyrs who so kindly offered their services in the editing of the "Quill." Our new sports writer is to be Tom McLeod, who received his baptism of fire during the last issue. Ormond Williams is in charge of the advertising department, and we might add that he has room for one or two more in this department. At a meeting of the Publications Board, Alix Meadows was officially nominated as the Assistant to the Editor. Miss Meadows will assume a number of miscellaneous duties on the staff. The Co-ed Executive officially appointed Miss Gwen Dobbie as the Co-ed columnist, with strict instructions to keep the student body informed of the Co-ed doings. Jim Nelson has been elected as the official paper boy, and we feel his experience of initiation day will serve him well in his new capacity.

Class '40 Elects

Class '40 convened this week to elect an executive for the new year. By a unanimous decision it was decided that handsome Eldon Bliss should carry the banner of the "Gazzela" gang for the '38-'39 term. The Sec. Treas. position was taken over by Miss Bertha Davis, while Miss Marj. Kirk and Jean Hutchison were elected to carry on the social organization activities. It was decided by class forty

that a crest ought to be drawn up for all fortyites to sport on their jackets, etc. Plans were discussed for the coming class party and when the meeting concluded Bliss wended his way up to his room, "tired but happy."

Science Club

The Science club is in formation and it is expected that in the near future the official slate will be complete to carry on the duties for the next year.

CO-ED. - - COLUMN

With the affiliation of Brandon College with the University of Manitoba, the Co-eds of Brandon College will be united with the Women's Association of Manitoba. This week a letter was received by the Lady Stick welcoming our Association into this union.

The letter extended a hearty welcome to our Association and wished that our connections will be a long and happy one. We feel that the Co-eds of Brandon College will welcome this move to foster a closer connection between the Co-eds of the two universities, and wish to extend our sincerest thanks to their very kind wishes.

The Co-eds are to vend their candy at but one of the College functions for the year. On next Monday night there is to be a sale of candy at the debate, and the Co-eds plan to "do it up right." The church is to be decorated in the Co-ed colors, with all of the saleswomen bedecked in cap and gowns. The executive felt that because of the difficulties of preparing and conducting a sale at each function that they would conduct the sale of candy at one function.

PROFESSORS LAST

If I were founding a university—and I say this in all seriousness, I would found first a smoking room; then a dormitory. Students must live together in a rational and comfortable way. They must eat in a big hall, with oak beams across the ceiling and stained glass in the windows and a shield or tablet here and there upon the wall, to remind them of the men who went before them. Then, after the dormitories, when I had a little money in hand, I would establish a decent reading room and a library. After that, if I still had some money I couldn't use, I would get some textbooks and hire a professor.—Stephen Leacock in Harper's.

Music Medallist

Earl Savage, of the Brandon College Music Department was presented with a gold medal by the Toronto Conservatory of Music for the highest marks in the Dominion of Canada on his Associateship piano exams. Earl is at present residing in the College residence and is taking post graduate music from Prof. W. Wright of the Music department. Along with his musical work he is completing his grade eleven at the Brandon Collegiate.

The presentation of the gold medal was made at the annual presentation of diplomas in the concert hall of the Fort Garry Site last Thursday night.

Functions List For First Term

- Oct. 21—Open Night.
- Oct. 24th—Australian vs Brandon Debate.
- Oct. 28th—Halloween Party
- Nov. 4th—Open Night.
- * Nov. 11th—Basketball
- Nov. 18th—Lit Night.
- * Nov. 25th—
- Dec. 22nd—Christmas Party.
- * Not yet definite, but when plans are complete will be made public.

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Widter, widter, beautiful widter—and so the snow flies, and though we are as anxious as any to get out and dust off the ice with the seat of the venerable editorial trousers much remains to be done.

A pile of lumber laying in the back yard reminds us that digging post holes in frozen ground may be in theory a good form of exercise, but in practice is only good business for the boys who peddle the liniment. If the rink fence is to be completed this year, without the aid of blasting powder, it runs in our mind that action will speak much louder now than the very harsh words that will be spoken later.

And then, too, there is the football situation. So far, bruised shins and broken teeth have been completely missing from our hallowed halls. The boys haven't even had a chance to show an opposing team what guerilla warfare really means.

But for sheer conversational purposes, there is nothing like a good tennis tournament. With the score sheet almost as barren as the Sahara Desert, and the time approaching for the lads and lassies to swap their racquets for snowshoes, we wonder if the thing couldn't be made into a marathon, or an endurance contest—anyway, it's a suggestion.

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SPORTS

BOWLING

The ancient game of bowling got off to a fine start last week with 16 teams taking part in the competition. Because of the large number of teams, league games are to be run off on both Monday and Friday.

The College pin-spillers were headed this week by freshman How. Brown who rolled the crockery for a mean 467 points no small factor in helping his team keep among the league leaders. Curly Galvin and Dood Cristall were in the high scoring bracket, too, with 422 and 408, respectively.

Among the bowlers of the fair sex who "rumbled" their stuff last week, Vi Munt made the highest doubles score with 367 points. She was closely followed by Betty Sutherland with 342, and Marg. Oliver with 322.

Dood Cristall's count of 263 was the highest single score, while Vi Munt's 235 was good enough for the ladies' singles.

The vote for outstanding point-getter goes to Wes Mann, who rolled five zeros in a single string, four of them consecutive.

Form Hoop League

The city Basketball league was formed at a meeting held in the Y.M.C.A. last Monday night. The league is to consist of the Junior boys, Girls' teams and the Senior men's. At present, there are three entries in the league—the College have teams entered in all three classes. The Collegiate are to enter teams in the Junior boys and girls, and entries are expected from the St. Paul's, Royals and Aces of last year. Entries have not been closed and can be made up until Wednesday, Oct. 26th.

At the meeting, Gob Kirk was re-elected vice-president of the organization. Gob is one of our "most" stalwart guards and the only member on the executive drawn from the Brandon College student body.

It was decided that games would be played on Wednesday nights, instead of the former Thursday evening set-up. The first games are to feature the well-liked Booster program and the teams this night will be all College and Collegiate aggregations. Opening night is scheduled for Nov. 2nd, and all College men are expected to come and join in a few lusty cheers to help the blue and gold to victory on their first playing night of the season.

BADMINTON

On Monday came our first morning of winter, and winter reminds us of nothing more than badminton. Last year College badminton flopped a bit in the last term. Undaunted, however, the badminton bugs are about again this year, wondering whether or not there will be any more college birdie-slugging.

So, if any of the ladies and gentlemen within reading distance of this column are interested in the formation of a badminton league this year, we suggest that Wally Stinson, head of the Athletic Board, is the man to see.

Main Executive

Last night the Main Executive met in room "L" to draw up plans for the Halloween party to be held on Friday evening, Oct. 28th. It was decided that the party would be a masquerade affair as has been the custom in former years. This decision was the unanimous choice of all members of the executive present.

The recently re-organized College orchestra are to play for one-half of the evening's entertainment and arrangements for the other portion of the evening's music has not been decided as yet. A good time is in store for all who attend, and it will be agreed by all those who have attended Halloween parties in past years, that this party is perhaps the most enjoyed of all the College functions.

The party will not be held in the Imperial Gardens, but a new location is to be considered. The Prince Edward hotel stands at present as the most likely spot for this get-together.

The Main Executive ratified the creation of the two new positions of Advertising Manager and Circulation Manager. After an hour of meeting, the executive adjourned.

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Dissension In Girls' Team

The girls basketball team is torn with that demon, dissension. It seems that there is some difficulty among the girls in deciding the time for their basketball practice. The times as now allotted give the girls one hour on Monday from six to seven and another hour on Saturday night from eight to nine. A feeling among the girls is that this eight-to-nine practice will not only disrupt the Saturday night studies, but will also prevent any fair damsel from going to a jam session.

Feeling is running high among the girls and coaches Gob Kirk and Waly Stinson are searching for a solution favorable to all concerned. While there are some who would like an earlier hour on Saturday night, there are a few others who would like to continue on the present schedule. What will be the outcome? Time only will reveal the solution to this canker in the girls' team.

Song and Yell

For those new students who stand idly by at the College functions when "Hail Our College" and a "Hippi Skippi" is given, we print copies of our traditional song and yell:

HAIL OUR COLLEGE

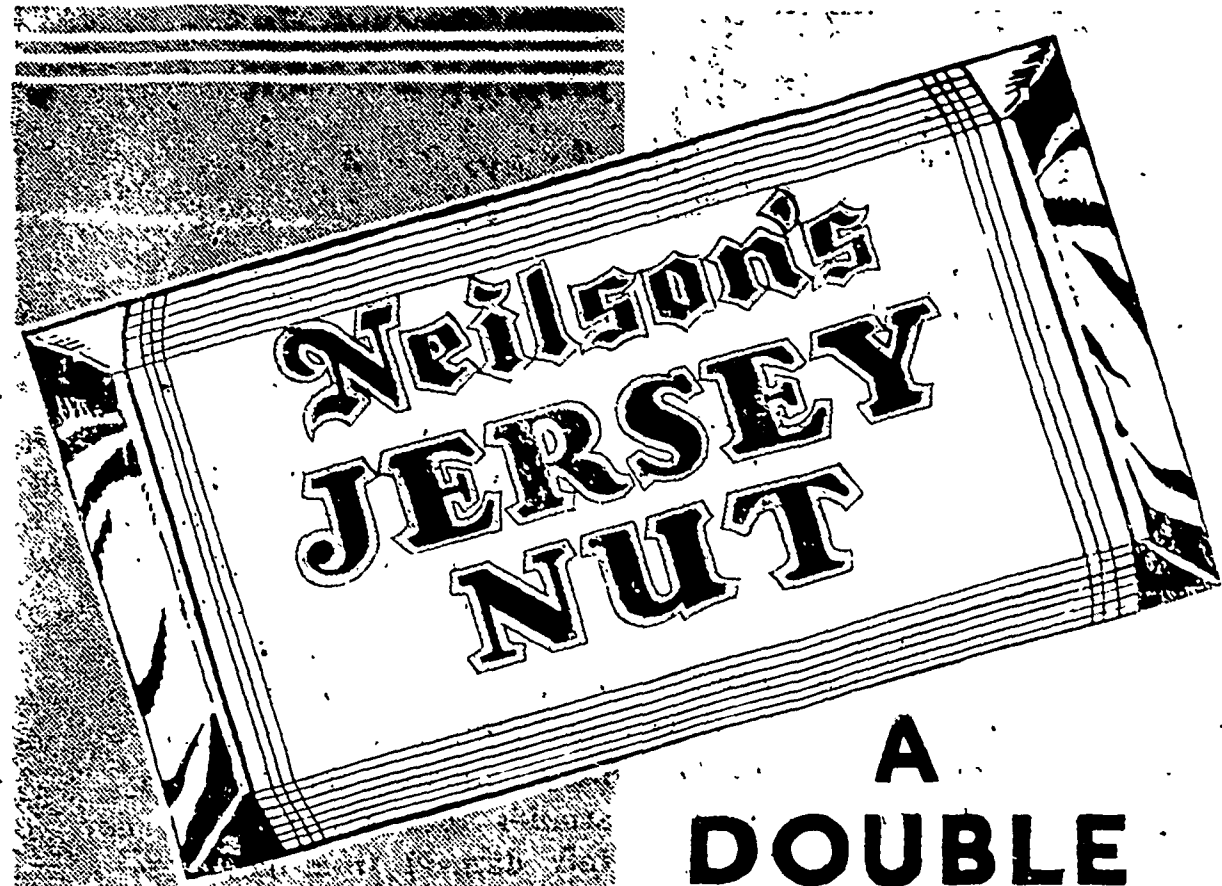
Hail our College out in the golden west!
Take our fealty, now unto thee confessed,
Be our Alma Mater, now and forever blessed;
Hail! Hail! Brandon forever, Hail!
Through rich valleys flows the as-siniboine,
Where sunsets golden prairies as golden join.
Roud our fair prospects fondly our memories twine;
Hail! Hail! Brandon forever, Hail!

HIPPI SKIPPI

Hippi-skippi, boom-a-lacka,
Rippi Ziippi zoo!
Knuckle to it, you can do it!
You! You You!
City of the wheat!
Never know defeat!
Got it College, Brandon College!
Ree! Rah! Reet!
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Quack! Quack! !

"Why this water runs off my back like water off a duck's back," said the duck.



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By THE SHEARS

For Fire Prevention Week

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"What are you doing here?" said the chairman at the Disarmament Conference in Geneva.

"Excuse me," replied the soldier in a frayed uniform. "I thought I might be useful—I went through the whole war in the front line."

"Get out. This is a meeting of experts. An unheard of intrusion."

Keith Blair: "Last night I saw the fastest leg-show in town."

Wesley: "So you took in a burlesque performance, eh?"

Blair: "No, the six-day bicycle

race."
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Cadet Leader: "Good Lord, Armistage, another war hovering on the horizon, and look at that button."
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Lady (to Druggist): "Have you any Life Bouy?"
Druggist: "Just set the pace, lady."

1st Nut: "Guess what I have in my hand."
2nd Nut: "Fly?"

1st: "Nope, no fly."
2nd: "An elephant?"
1st: "What color?"

The professor rapped on his desk and yelled: "Gentlemen order!"
The entire class shouted: "Beer!"

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This Week**

Ken Nelson receiving an audition for the College choir . . . A strange man wandering about the building smoking a cigarette, as he blithely went about his business on the premises . . . Ella Egilsson sleeping on one of the chapel benches . . . 'Birk' stating "by the boiled icicles the Faculty are going to take these punks" . . . Prof. Easterbrook being batted off the mound . . . About four bargain hunters emerging from a monstrous sale loaded with merchandise . . . McLeod 'up an alley' Sunday night . . . Marg. Ingram and Betty Suds giggling in church . . . Doris Gray, ex-'39 student bidding farewell to a number of her friends, on the campus before leaving to make her home at Long Beach, Calif. . . . "Put your foot down with a firm hand" stated Mr. Vernon in a Psych class. Immediately afterward Mr. Vernon was seen falling down stairs. . . . McGregor quite alarmed at all the work Manitoba students did in Sociology . . . Dr. Smith in a conversation with Keith Blair stating that movie stars were not quite as quiet as Brandon College girls . . . Sharpe suggesting that someone cut off their arm to prove a point of his in an argument . . . Jim Smith "pinching a little foo"

**MORE ABOUT
FIELD MEET**

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jumped the bar at 4-11. Stinson placed second at 4-10, and Mooney third at 4-9. The other major event in the male section was the shot-put in which MacGregor pitched the iron apple far enough to gain first place. Goodwin placed second, with Kirk making a third in the favored trio.

When it came time for the females to strut their stuff, Blondie Hickling proved that there's nothing soft about a Co-ed by heaving a softball over the fence to take first money. With the softball though, Hickie must have tossed the records out of the park too—for the life of us, we can't find the names of the others who placed.

In the ladies' 60-yard dash, Ruth Hunter romped home first, with Dolly Birkinshaw and Winnie Watson placing second and third, respectively. The final event in the ladies' class, the high jump, saw Kay Drake cross the bar (no Mac-kay, not the kind of bar you're thinking about) at 4-2 for a first and Alixe Meadows take second place.

No comments are necessary on the campus supper that followed—

there wasn't anything left but dirty dishes. hTe sing-song, led by Don Knipfel, was one of the best, but Knip still thinks there is much to be done.

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