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Does a University Education Cultivate Special Virtues?

The debate on 4th March raised many interesting problems. Perhaps the one most radical is the question of whether a university education is all it makes out to be.

Several speakers claimed that a university was an extensive and important institution, but others deplored the faculty's general attitude towards the university. In several cases, the university seems to be somewhat of a shambles. The problems posed are discussed in the following paragraphs. A number of unsolved questions remain.

SPECIAL VIRTUES?

Most of us, inside the University, as well as out, are not entirely sure about the practicality of believing in a philosophy which is being taught in the academic ages. We are not sure we believe in the University's role in the general world. It is not our function to evaluate the University's role in the general world, but we can consider the University's role in the general world, but we can consider the University's role in the general world.

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Evangelical Union

Why do men and women shrink from the word "Evangelical?" The word suggests a giving out or a forthrightness in the living and teachings of the Gospel—yielding in a direct and person to Jesus Christ. Why? It is because we are so wrapped up in the current, busy, active life of Christ that is left by the Church of the living and active life of Christ. Why? We do not believe in the Evangelical Union.

There are some of us who are not sure about the coming of Christ's followers, and are a part of the Church. We are not sure about the coming of Christ's followers, and are a part of the Church. We are not sure about the coming of Christ's followers, and are a part of the Church.

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AQUINAS SOCIETY

This year has begun very successfully for the Society and there is every reason to hope for even better things ahead.

The first activity for the year was a summer camp held at the原有的Aqua Camp on the campus of the University of Queensland. Over 100 members attended that camp, including many freshmen, who were introduced to the University way of life and to many of their fellow students. Everyone voted the camp as most enjoyable.

On Tuesday of Orientation Week, the annual Inaugural Mass was celebrated at the College's Chapel by the Rev. Fr. Scott, S.J., Rector of the College. The Mass was attended by the University community and the guests.

On Thursday evening, the Fresher's Welcome took place in the Lady Symon Hall. After the very brief speeches, the large crowd that attended was entertained by the University's choir and a dancing display.

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DEADLINE FOR NEXT ISSUE

Wednesday, April 8
Why Congress Was Great Fun

Speakers have come and gone. Motions have been debated, passed, recommenced and passed again. Congress is over.

Some say that Congress this year was quiet; but the real Congress was there all along. The grand annual Congress of the National Union of Australian University Students (N.U.A.U.S.) opened on the evening of February 17, with the usual formalities. This year the Congress was held in Melbourne, and was attended by representatives from all parts of the Commonwealth.

The welcome speech of Congress was made by one of the committee, Prof. McLean, who spoke on the Congress theme: "Science and its possibilities in the practical community." He said that the Congress was the first step in the development of science in Australia, and that its object was to bring together all those interested in the advancement of science.

The Congress was divided into three sections: the first was on "Science and its possibilities in the practical community," the second was on "Science and the Community," and the third was on "Science and the Individual." Each section was addressed by a different speaker.

The Congress was a great success, and many new friends were made. The enthusiasm of the delegates was evident in every speech and discussion. The Congress was an opportunity for the students of Australia to meet together and to discuss the problems of their country.

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Rockey Nook

Do you remember the "Rockey Nook" expedition? Those who were in it will be interested to know that the rock wallaby which was killed during the expedition is now the mascot of the Wye River Hotel. The expedition provided a good basis for our friendly relations with the local people, and it increased our zest for adventure with time that Congress continued. It is certain that a branch of Aborigines would have been formed in the "Rockey Nook".

The extra-curricula activities of Congress (those requiring two people) seemed to be somewhat less than in previous years. Nevertheless, the meeting was a success and the N.U.A.U.S. was strengthened.

N.U.A.U.S.: ORGANISATION

If you read this article, and all the following articles, you will have a fairly good knowledge of the anatomy and gastric troubles (if any) of the Union to which you belong.

In the last edition of "On Dit" the N.U.A.U.S. item told in very brief detail, what the N.U. is and what it does. In this article the organisation of the N.U. will be explained.

FACULTY SOCIETIES

Nearly every faculty in the University has a faculty of students known as a faculty society which gives the students a real sense of belonging to the University. The faculty societies provide a means for the students to form an official organisation and to express freely their ideas and feelings. They are also an opportunity for the students to meet other students in their own departments and to form friendships. The faculty societies also provide a means for the students to form an official organisation and to express freely their ideas and feelings.

S.R.C.

Well of this you have no doubt heard. The S.R.C. deals with almost every faculty and does much good. It is a good idea for the students to know that there is a S.R.C. in their faculty, and that it can provide advice and assistance.

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Our Milky Way
Positively amazing. But then it won't always happen that we can give you a full page of photos. However, each issue we hope to show you what one or two University personalities look like. Photos on this page show what these people looked like last Friday.

TOP LEFT: Hi! Quite a lot of stars here. Here’s the S.E.C. Textbook Exchange in action in the Refectory Lower, staffed by the S.B.M. if you want to buy or sell books, hurry up—the business will be closing down on April 15.

The board notice at the rear tells you that last Monday’s Regent’s Rep has been postponed. Date of this will be announced later.

TOP RIGHT: This one must be Venus, you say? Well, almost. At long last it’s a release of Pam Micklem, S.E.C. tycoon. And not just any sort of release. Buckley and Halley keep her nose to the grindstone from 9 to 5, to do work for them. This picture shows her in one of her free moments, partaking of a light afternoon tea. That “stare” doesn’t belong to her, either.

CENTRE LEFT: Ever helped Wardens of the Union, Mr. Frank Goddard, looking after his usual impeccable self. He’s got it in him to know everyone in the University by name—so if you don’t know him yet, you’d like to know him. Drop in and ask him when he’s not busy. And when you do, be pleased to try and help you.

CENTRE RIGHT: In one of his many attires, Prof. A. Norman Jeffers, of the English Department, gives forth some of his wealth of knowledge at last Friday’s Symposium on Television. Generally, he’s regarded as one of the brightest stars in the University. In the background is a retired star, keen Sir Kerr Grant, former Professor of Physics, who also took part in the Symposium.

BOTTOM LEFT: Timely Treasurer of the S.E.C., Peter Halley, is doing double-duty. He gritted about not having his photo in the last edition, so we had to oblige. He’s very hard to convince at times—got a lot of queer ideas. You’ll find his financial statement elsewhere in this issue.

BOTTOM RIGHT: This one looks like a fallen star, but it isn’t even that. It’s Yours Truly, and that’s exactly how I felt after sitting up all hours of the morning trying to put this edition under way—disintegrated. Never mind. I’ve got a staff now—might let you see some photos of them next issue. Star photographer, Michael Pien, who took all the pictures on this page, is one of them. As usual.
BIG PLANS FOR AUSTRALIAN RULES

The University Football Club, the greatest Amateur Football Club in the Southern Hemisphere, welcomes all freshmen (and fresherettes) to the University and particularly welcomes all freshmen footballers. The 1953 season begins on April 18 and training has begun under the watchful eyes of ex-State and ex-Australian footballer, George Tilley. This year the A.U.F.C. will again field three teams in the Amateur Football Association, and all intending footballers are invited to training on Tuesday and Thursday nights. 1951-52 premiers and 1952 Inter-University champions, the A.U.F.C. is determined to keep up this high standard and to do so all last year’s losses must be made up from this year’s newcomers, so don’t be backward, get out your boots and join the University’s only REAL club, go-ahead Sporting Club.

The Annual General Meeting on March 28 was well attended, and the following officers were elected for 1953: President, Dr. C. H. Ganger; Secretary, Ken Pitch; Ass. Secretary, Bill McReavy; Treasurer, John Lauren; Social Convenor, Dick Southwood; Harold Page and "Long Un" Wilson were elected life members of the A.U.F.C. in recognition of their long service as coach and trainer respectively. This year the Inter University will be in Sydney during the first term vacation and the best possible team will be needed if we are to down Melbourne again.

Rugby Campaign

"ONCE MORE INTO THE BREECH..."

After a brilliant publicity campaign in the Refectory cloisters, the Rugby Club has swept, if not with strength, in notoriety. Already we have some promising players. There are still a few, a Chinese who has just completed a successful tour against Singapore teams. Also Peter Stuhr who played for a great English public school and has come to Australia to play rugby for the University of Adelaide. These are only two of the many interesting players, who have joined the band of peripatetic students like Hone and Gibbs, who can remember when the Front Office was a tin shed in front of the Vice-Chancellor’s house.

We extend a hearty welcome to old and new players and also Australian rules (Taggy Touchwood) players who want to play to the game instead of being privileged spectators watching from the stands.

FURTH TEAM

The prospects of adding a fourth team are very real, and already the idea of being sown with wool on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 4 o’clock until dark. The coach has extreme plans for this season, especially for the training of newcomers in January. Several of last year’s beginners, by the end of the season, had shown sufficient form to be playing in A. In a word, the players will provide competition for vacancies in our A team caused by marriage, graduation or death. (We must congratulate Hone and Gibbs on their engagements, and Graham Gibbs on being elected to the University.)

During the past year rugby is now more generally known amongst the University staff and we are grateful for their support. Such men could improve our game immensely by watching our matches, and are cordially invited to our meetings, functions and practices, as we believe club activities off the field are as important as our matches.

Professor Portus will no doubt be in the chair for the Annual General Meeting in the George Murray Hall on Sunday, April 18, and the first match will be on April 14.

The rest is up to you on a pastime for the "Front fom Market in Exeter" to something like "Carrington and Astra."

SPORTING CLUBS!

Students of Portus issued a new edition of their annual, "On the Inside," to celebrate a year that has brought more attention to their union, than it has ever seen before. Some of the more notable features of the year have been:

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- Increased membership
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SCIENCE NEWS

Science students are advised to put themselves in the right spirit for a good year's work, by going on the excursion to Hady's Winery, McLaren Vale. This will be on Saturday, April 11, and in accordance with tradition, will be a very interesting and enjoyable outing. The transport available will leave Adelaide at approximately 2 p.m. and return at 6 p.m., which should not inconvenience people going out for the evening. A tour of inspection of the wineries will be made, followed by a 4-layered steak. It is estimated that the bus fare will not exceed 7/- per person.

The first ordinary meeting of the Association will be held on Thursday, April 17, at 8 p.m. in the Lady Symon's. Breakfast will be provided.

A most fitting climax to the academic life of the term will be the Debates and Debating Societies' Ball, to be held in the Refectory from 8 p.m. on Saturday, April 18. Last year's ball was very colorless, with the lovely debatist being presented to the Chancellor of the University, Sir John Napier. Students who wish to make their debut at the ball should contact Miss Pam Clayton, 31 East Avenue, Black Forest, as soon as possible. Debs not need belong to the Science Faculty as this is open to members of all faculties.

A very pleasant and merry evening was spent by fresher and freshers at a get-together in the main hall on Friday, March 27, when in good faith they were accepted into the Science Association, taking the solemn oath.

ADELAIDE UNIVERSITY STUDENTS’ REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL

Statement of Receipts and Payments for year ended December 31, 1953.

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In addition to the foregoing the amount of £5,174 14 8 was raised for the University and University of Children's Association. A separate bank account was opened to handle funds. This was a credit account of £5,814 14 8 at December 31, 1952.

*Functions expenses include £65 account for Freshers' Welcome. Net profit from Ball £4,611 12 5.

1953/54 Treasurer: CHARLES H. STOKES.
1952/53 Treasurer: PRTHIR HALLEY.